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CHINESE BANK'S AFFAIRS.

CREDITORS MEET AT CITY HALL.

TWO PRIVATE LIQUIDATORS APPOINTED.

MATTER OF EXPENSE.

and Commercial. Bank, Ltd., Colonial Office this afternoon. which is in liqudation, met this morning at the City Hall and decided to appoint Messrs. J. Hennessy Seth and S. H. Ross | Amery, at the House of Commons, as liquidators in place of the Official Receiver.

In a recapitulation of the winding up of the Bank, the Official Receiver (Mr. E.P.H. Lang) said that the Supreme Court had granted the application on July 31 The summary of the statement of problems and many grounds for affairs sent to the creditors related only to the Hongkong office which was the headquarters of the |Sir Cecil Clementi to visit the Bank.

'Attitude of Branches.

It was understood, said Mr. Lang, that Shanghai would come in of the other branches in China.

The meeting, said Mr. Lang, had been called for two pur- Java, Sir Cecil Clementi. Governor poses, to determine whether appli- of the Straits Settlements, informcation should be made to the ed the Legislative Council recently Court for the appointment of a that the Governor-General of the liquidator in place of the Offi- Dutch East Indies had agreed to cial Receiver and also whether ap- | discuss the rubber industry with plication should be made for him. the appointment of a Committee of Inspection to act with the liquida- clearly no solution could be tors and its personnel.

Yau Po-shan, a creditor, proposed Messrs, Seth and Ross.

Heavy Liabilities.

In the lengthy discussion that followed, a Chinese who declined to give his name declared that the most important factor was that of expense. He understood that the Bank's liabilities, now at \$1,000, 000, would probably reach \$3,000,000 and the more expense incurred with the liquidators, the less would go to the creditors.

Mr. Lang explained that the cost of an official and outside liquidator would be the same, but a private liquidator, having a better knowledge of bank business, accountancy and bankruptcy would not require to be assisted by a special management, which would probably be the case with an offical, thereby saving expense If the Official Receiver continued to act, he estimated that his costs would be double those of a private liquidator.

An Objection.

Mr. Sam Sung-won objected to the appointment of Mr. Ross. He declared that Mr. Ross had been auditor of the Bank, and he should have discovered the deficiency.

Mr. Ross replied. When he last held an audit, the Bank was solvent, he said. The losses the Bank had incurred had been brought about since that audit, during the previous two or three months.

Seconded by Mr. Li Yat-choy, the resolution was carried.

Committee Question.

Creditors were querulous as to the appointment of a Committee of Inspection, Mr. Lang explaining that it would entail no expense and could be of whatever proportion of creditors and shareholders the meeting desired.

On the proposal of Mr. Li Yatchoy, the creditors adjourned to discuss the matter as many of them were strangers, he said.

SHANGHAI DIVORCE CASE.

JUDGE MAKES DECREE ABSOLUTE.

. Shanghai Aug. 29... Judge King has made absolute the divorce decree given to Mrs R. A. Trevor Smith against Mr. J. Trevor Smith.—Our Own Correspondent.

CECIL TALKS TO LONDON.

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TELEPHONES FROM JAVA TO LORD PASSFIELD.

MORE HISTORY MADE.

London, Aug. 28. Sir Cecil Clementi, Governor of the Straits Settlements, who is paying a visit to the Netherlands Indian Government, spoke by telephone from Java to Lord Passfield. Creditors of the Industrial the Colonial Secretary, at the

This is the first time a Colonial Secretary has communicated with the Far East by telephone from the Colonial Office, although Mr. spoke to Mr. Ormsby-Gore, under-Colonial Secretary, in Java two years ago.

Lord Passfield expressed appreciation of the opportunity given him by the Netherlands Indian Government. He remarked that the Empires of the Netherlands and Britain have many similar

close co-operation in the East, He welcomed the invitation to Governor General of Java and hoped future years might see further mutual understanding between the Dutch and British authorities overseas.

Sir Cecil Clementi said he had under one liquidation with Hong- had a wonderful reception in Java kong, but nothing definite was and had been much struck by the known at present as to the attitude | remarkable developments there .--British Wireless.

In connexion with his visit to

Sir Cecil Clementi added that achieved by the unilateral action Mr. T. J. Prior, on behalf of of Malaya. It was essential that Wang Ching-wei and on the Pethey should have the views of the Dutch authorities.

Sir Cecil left Singapore for Java by the Dutch Air Mail, being accompanied only by his private secretary Mr. A. Hyde. Excellency will return to Singapore on Sept. 2. 🗈

FOG STOPS RECORD CHANNEL SWIM.

ENGLISH GIRL GIVES UP NEAR HOME.

Boulogne, Aug. 28. The nineteen-year-old British girl, Elsie West, left Cape Grisnez at 10.35 yesterday evening to swim only six and a half miles from disturbances inside Peking with South Foreland after swimming a view to destroying the morale

Miss West gave up three miles from Dover in an exhausted condition after being in the water for over twelve hours .- Reuter.

GUNS ON HOUSE OF PRESIDENT.

DISCONTENDED WORKERS IN BUENOS AIRES.

Buenos Aires, Aug. 28. workers, of which the telephonists Government to refrain from furhave already declared a twenty- ther aerial raids on Peking, which four hour strike, led to extra- may lead to international compliordinary precautions being taken cations. by the authorities.

of President Irigoven, the roof of guns. Troops also stood by pre-American Service.

SHANGHAI BANKER ROBBED.

. RELIEVED OF LAKH OF DOLLARS

Shanghai, Aug. 29. A lakh of dollars in notes was taken from the Agent of the Hangchow Bank when he was robbed after leaving the North gency force and director of the Station yesterday.—Our Own Cor. Public Safety Bureau have issued respondent.

CHANGSHA AGAIN **NERVOUS.**

號九廿月八英港香

FEARED INVASION BY "REDS."

MUCH ANXIETY ALSO FELT IN PEKING.

TERRORIST FEARS.

Hankow, Aug. 28. The withdrawal of the Nationlist troops from Changsha, by order of General Ho Chien, has caused apprehension among the foreign and Chinese residents, who fear a second desertion by the Government troops in the

event of a Communist invasion. the "Red" invasion.

Strategic Move.

tatement that the Government | British Wireless. troops are abandoning ground near Changsha with a view to persuading the Communists to is now reported to be ninetcen. come near the city, whereby it The maximum temperature regis- the vehicles on Jukong Road and would be possible to effect their tered in London was 94 degrees. extermination: In absence of General Ho Chien, the parts of the country have closed duty of administrator of the down because it is physically im- Miao Fu-chu, a cripple. Government is entrusted to one of possible for the workers to con-

his Divisional commanders. The Hankow Government has girls in factories fainted and were announced that aeroplanes are sent home .- Reuter. daily visiting Hunan to ensure the safety of Changsha and other cities. Marshal Chiang Kai-shek is dispatching two Divisions under Generals Chien Ta-chun and Tan Tao-yuan to Hunan joining an anti-bandit campaign.

Peking Perturbed,

Following the Nationalist bombardment of the residence of Mr. king Garrison Command Head- the baseball matches played in the quarters, martial law is enforced National and American Leagues here with large contingents of to-day: troops on permanent patrol -outside the residence of the Kuomintang Leftist leaders as well as New York at the Garrison Command and the Chihli Provincial Government Pittsburgh

Peking presents a picture of preparedness against further Nanking aerial raids.

The alarming news has also St. Louis been received of the arrival at Cleveland Peking of a big party of Nanking Washington plain clothes troops who are said Boston to intend the assassination of prominent Shansi and Leftist lead-

Create Chaos.

The Nanking plain clothes the English Channel. She was troops aim at the stirring up of for nine hours and had every hope of the Shansi troops. The Nanof beating Miss Ederle's record king leaders believe that the when she was overtaken by a heavy | aerial raids and the arousing of chaos inside Peking will shake the

| confidence of the Shansi warriors. The Peking Chinese and English newspapers have been officially advised not to publish any news pertaining to the movements of Mr. Wang Ching-wei or concerning the meeting of the Enlarged Kuomintang Plenary Conference.

The Kuomintang Leftists have decided to hold their meetings in the evenings.

Complications Feared.

ed to General Chang Hsueh-liang British Wireless. General discontent among the asking him to advise the Nanking-

Martial law has also been put The Cabinet met specially to into force at Tientsin, where Mr. discuss the situation at the house Lennox Simpson, of the Tientsin Maritime Customs, has officially which was bristling with machine announced that henceforth all steamers coming from the South pared to intervene.—Reuter's will be subjected to a rigid search to prevent the entry into Tientsin and Peking of Nanking plain clothes troops.

Populace in Panic.

Peking, Aug. 28. According to foreign reports here, the Communists are again within two miles of Changsha, and the inhabitants of that city are panic-stricken .-- Reuter.

Proclamation by Authorities.

Peking, Aug. 28, The commandant of the emera proclamation denouncing the Nan- sidence.--Reuter:

TEMPERATURE IN LONDON.

NINETEEN DEATHS IN THE. HEAT WAVE.

FACTORIES CLOSING.

London, Aug. 28. After eight weeks of autumnike weather, with chilly gales and rain, summer has suddenly burst on Britain this week. The temperature of 92 in the shade in London yesterday was the hottest for August, but it was exceeded to-day, when 93.5 degrees were registered.

There were six deaths in various parts of Britain yesterday and up to the present nine have looted and an entire vicinity been reported to-day.—Reuter.

London, Aug. 28. The heat wave continues. The temperature in London at three The "Reds" are marching near o'clock this afternoon was 92 de- gunmen and the Chapei police. Changsha, but, official circles are grees Fahrenheit, the same as yesconfident of their ability to resist | terday. Six people died to-day from the heat and from all parts l of the country comes news of men and women collapsing and faint-General Ho Chien has made a ing in the sun-scorched streets .-

London later. The heat death-roll yesterday Iron and steel works in several I tinue in the flerce heat. Many

AMERICAN BASEBALL RESULTS.

NEW YORK DEFEATED BY BROOKLYN.

New York, Aug. 28. The following are the results of

National.

7 Brooklyn 10 Boston Philadelphia 16 Cincinnati 11 Cincinnati Pittsburgh 7 St. Louis

American. 9 Detroit 10 Chicago

6 New York 2 Philadelphia -Reuter's American Service.

KING ENTERTAINS WAR HEROES.

WEEKLY "NOT FORGOTTEN" PARTIES.

London, Aug. 28. A large number of wounded ex-

at the invitation of the King. This is the first of a series of fore the fire of the constable. such parties to be held there weekly during the coming month, as bullet through his chest. As he has been customary every year fell to the street one of the thugs since the war.

conveyed to the Palace in motor fired two bullets into the head of coaches from various hospitals the prostrate man. under the negis of the Ministry of Pensions.

The parties have become known The Peking public has telegraph- as "Not Forgotten" parties .-

SHANGHAI WEDDING.

Shanghai, Aug. 29. The marriage took place here yesterday of Mr. F. W. Scholbohm, of the Yellow Taxicab Company, wounded the desperado. -Our Own Correspondent.

king faction for attempting to destroy ancient buildings in Peking. declaring that the public need have no alarm, as they are mounting anti-aircraft guns on Coal Hil and the city gateways. Meetings of the enlarged Plenary

Session of the Kuomintang will be held in future at various times and places. Chinese as well as foreign pressmen are warned not to publish the whereabouts or movements of

BRAVE CONSTABLE SLAIN.

PLUCKY FIGHT WITH GUNMEN.

EXCITING STREET SCENES IN SHANGHAI.

ROBBER KILLED.

Shanghai, Aug. 24. A Chapei constable was shot dead, two gunmen were wounded, one fatally, a wine shop was thrown into confusion and uproar early yesterday morning during a thrilling battle between

The criminals numbered seven, all armed, and were fought by a lone constable before help arrived.

slain | man∄ According information obtained 'yesterday the gunmen ment in rickshas. They dismissed walked a short distance to Hung a wine shop conducted by one ing positions being as follows:

Covered by Weapons.

Miao at the time was conversing with a foreigner named Dresky with whom he had transacted some business in the French Concession recently. Three of the gunmen entered the shop on the pretext of buying wine. Four remained outside. Suddenly the trio whipped out guns and covered both the owner and the customers.

The foreigner was not molested and, being unarmed, was powerless to do anything.

Expected Tls. 3,000.

Miao had expected to be paid a sum totalling nearly Tls. 3,000 yesterday and it is believed that the robbers were aware of this and were after the money as the 13 shop is a small one and rarely has more than \$100 in the place,

according to the owner. The robber leader, angered Allison and Van Ryn were opposed becaused the money was not to to Berkeley-Bell and Gregory be had, rifled the cash drawer Mangin. The latter won the first stated that he would ask for an first and then struck the crippled set at 8-6, but Allison and Van opportunity to quote cases if owner of the shop with the butt Ryn took the next three sets at 6-4, necessary; and proceeded to open

end of his pistol, felling the man. 6-4, 6-3. The robberr then hurriedly left on the fleeing men.

Brave Constable.

posts and in doorways and poured two sets all. Doeg and Lott had a steady stream of bullets at the little difficulty in taking the next courageous constable. The latter | set at 6-2 .- Reuter's American Serbravely, but recklessly, stood in vice. Service men were entertained at the street, an open target, and Buckingham Palace this afternoon I fired shot after shot at the gangsters. One man went down be-

The constable then fell with a ran up to him and from a dis-The 400 guests were to-day tance of not more than three feet

More Police Arrive.

Other police arrived and opened fire on the robbers who again fled. The chase through the narrow, winding streets was an exciting one as the pistols cracked and bullets whistled. Near Tang Chung Li another robber feil before the aim of the policemen.

disarm him, raised himself on one elbow and fired two shots." shot from a constable mortally

Heard in Settlement.

The pistol shots were easily heard in the Settlement and hundreds of persons blocked North Szechuen Road awaiting news of the outcome. Rumours that a Communist uprising had started were spread, probably originating with Communists.

The slightly wounded gunman was taken to the police station and questioned. At first he denied being a member of the robber gang but later confessed and implicated others, giving their names and places of residence. Wang Ching-wei, as one bomb was Police of Chapel late yesterday dropped not far from his re- were searching for the others and arrests were expected.

GLOUCESTER BEAT GLAMORGAN.

NOW SECOND IN COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

NINE WICKET WIN.

London, Aug. 28. Two days were sufficient for the County cricket match between Gloucester and Glamorgan at Swansea, the former winning easily by nine wickets. Glamorgan batted first but they could only make 106. Goddard proved especially deadly to the batsmen 'and' he had the satisfaction of taking eight of the wickets at a cost of only 44 runs. Gloucester. went in to make 192, Ryan taking

seven of the wickets for 79 runs. Glamorgan's batting improved slightly in the second innings when they carried their score to purporting to be signed by one This time Parker had a greater | \$520. share in the successful attack and The hero of the battle was the took six of the wickets for 97 runs. Goddard was still in good form and took the other four wickets for 53 runs. Gloucester got the entered Chapei from the Settle- 90 runs necessary for victory for the loss of only one wicket.-

Gloucester are now second in Tsay Li alleyway, halting outside the championship table, the lead-Point Played 147 Lancashire 27

> Gloucester 27 Yorkshire Lancashire are now playing Butters said: their last match in the championship at Blackpool against Essex. The result of this match will be known to-morrow. Yorkshire's last fixture is with Kent at Gravesend, this match starting

AMERICAN DOUBLES SEMI-FINALS.

HUNTER AND TILDEN BEATEN BY DOEG & LOTT.

Brookline, Aug. 28.

the shop and as they dashed down tween Doeg and Lott and Hunter ed by Mr. d'Almada." Argument the street the shop-owner and and Tilden and resulted in an on autrefois acquit was reserved. others raised the alarm. A lone especially keen struggle. Doeg constable ran to the scene and, and Lott eventually ran out the taking in the situation; opened fire | winners. They lost the first set at 3-6, but won the next two at 6-3 and 6-2. The next set ran to 20 games, being won eventually by All stopped, took refuge behind | Hunter and Tilden at 11-9. Being

CANTON-SHANGHAI RADIO.

NIGHT SERVICE TO BE SUSPENDED.

Canton, Aug. 28. It is announced that the transmission of night radiograms bebe suspended as from the 1st Sep- \$520 mentioned in the present tween Canton and Shanghai will

tember until further notice. The low rate charged and the efficiency of this service had caused it to become very popular with merchants, and it is very much hoped that the Chinese Radio Ad-This man, as police ran up to ministration will cause the service to be resumed as soon as pos-

sible. No reasons have been given for discontinuing this useful service. -Our Own Correspondent.

ELEVEN CHINESE AT SANDHURST.

SAME TRAINING AS THE

OTHER CADETS.

London, Aug. 28. The re-opening of Sandhurst was marked by the entry of eleven Chinese military students, officially described as "attached," who will be trained under cadets -- Router.

HEALTH BUREAU CASE ENDS.

JUDGMENT FOR THE DEFENDANT.

PLEA OF "AUTREFOIS ACQUIT" ACCEPTED.

APPEAL POSSIBLE.

Judgment for Kwok Chunshing was given by Mr. Butters at the Central Police Court this morning ... on the complaint brought against him by the management of the Health Service Intelligence Bureau in connexion with uttering, then knowing the same to have been feloniously forged, a voucher 175 before the last wicket fell. T. K. Leung for the sum of

The defendant had been previously before the Court on twentytwo charges arising out of the loss of two sums of money, one of which formed the subject of the present proceedings, and after the case was heard, Mr. Grantham, the Magistrate who tried it, order-

ed the defendant's acquittal. Mr. M. K. Lo was for the prosecution and Mr. F. X. d'Aimada represented the defendant.

Magistrate Decision.

In delivering judgment, Mr.

The complaint against the defendant is that on or about the 9th day of Auril 1930 at Victoria in this Colony he unlawfully did utter, then well knowing the same to have been feloniously forged. a certain document to wit, a voucher purporting to be signed by one T. K. Leung for the sum of

The defendant was summoned to appear on the 19th July before this Court to answer to the com-

When the case came on for hearing Mr. F. X. d'Almada, snr., for the defendant pleaded got guilty and autrefois acquit. Mr. M. K. In the semi-final matches of the Lo for the complainant submitted American doubles championship that the acquittal of the defendant on certain previous charges was no bar to the present complaint; on the complaint and called his The other semi-final was be- witnesses who were cross-examin-

Previous Charges.

The facts regarding the previous charges are as follows: On 19th May the defendant was charged: For that you Kwok Chun-shing being the manager of the Health Service Intelligence Bureau of No. 14 Wyndham Street Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong on the 3rd day of December 1929 and the 9th day of April 1930 at Victoria aforesaid being entrusted with the monies of the said Health Service Intelligence Bureau in order that you might return the same in safe custody fraudulently converted to your own use two sums of \$450 and \$520 belonging to the said Health Service Intelligence

Bureau. (Sec. 55, Ord. 5 of 1865) Twenty-two other charges were then added of which the 3rd., 4th 5th and 6th refer to the sum of

Four Counts.

These four charges are laid under various sections of the Larceny Ordinance No. 5 of 1865

and read: (3) For that you Kwok Chunshing on or about the 9th day of April, 1930 at Victoria aforesaid being entrusted with the monies of the Health Service Intelligence Burcau in order that you might retain in safe custody the same or apply, pay or deliver the said monies for the purposes of the said Bureau unlawfully and fraudulently did convert a sum of \$520 being part of such moneys to your own use contrary to Section 62 (1) of the Larceny No. 5 of 1865.

(4) For that you Kwok Chunshing on or about the 9th day of April, 1980 at Victoria aforesaid being a clerk or servant of the Health Service Intelligence Bureau did steal a sum of \$50% belonking to the said Bureau contrar yto Section 54 of the Larceny Ordinance No. 5 of 1865.

For that you Kwok Chun-shing on the at Victoria aforesaid being a clerk, same conditions as the other officer or servant of the Health

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BIG WEST POINT BLAZE.

TWO BUILDINGS PARTLY GUTTED.

West Point district was again the scene " of a spectacular. fire last night, when two three-storeyed Chinese buildings, involving a firm housing the sole agency for the Britannia Aerated Water Co., and a Chinese medicine store, as other businesses, were partly gutted in a big blaze which caused great excitement in the area concerned.

Commencing about 10, o'clock, the fire soon got a strong hold in the first building, No. 169, Des Voeux Road West, near its junction with

Western Street. below. Appliances from the having been run over by a lorry Central Fire Station and the Wanchai station, and fire floats, arrived almost immediately, followed by a contingent of Police. Traffic Held Up.

were held up for nearly two hours, On August 2 about 10.20 a.m., he during which time the firemen per- was driving the lorry along formed excellent work, succeeding Nathan Road northwards. The in confining the flames to No. lorry was filled with a load of 169 and No. 167, which later earth. At the junction with Brigade was under Mr. Brooks, car coming in the opposite directhe Superintendent, and soon had tion. He was following a motor hoses directed on the burning

building from Nos. 167 and 171. The height of the building and the congested condition of the floors demanded the concerted action of the fire fighters, confronted with the difficult task rescuing all the inmates from the upper storeys and directing the water to the top floor, which was applied his hand brake and swery burning fiercely by about 10.30, ed to the left. It was too late, More than twenty Chinese women however, and the front right and children finding the sole bumper knocked the man down: means of escape by the staircase Witness felt the lorry jump as if and by climbing precariously over got down from the lorry and parts of the roof reached safety found the man lying under the in adjacent buildings:

Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Inspector | removed in an ambulance to the General of Police, was pre- hospital. When the accident ocsent, and besides the contingent curred the lorry was travelling at on the Upper Yangtsze. of policemen, members of the St. a speed of 12 miles an hour. Morris, as well as Boy Scouts, did meritorious work in aiding the firemen, controlling the crowds and traffic.

Prompt Work Succeeds.

the Yuan Yuan Company, which occupied the ground floor of No. he was knocked down. 169, escaped damage by the fire, which swept through the first, second and third floors, and the first, second and third floors of No. 167. The ground floor of No. 167 houses Messrs. Sun. Lee Yuan, a Chinese firm which apart from damage by water, also escaped. These houses were built only recently.

Chinese tobacco firm, the Kung Sheung Tobacco Company, of No. 171, also suffered water damage. So far as could be ascertained, all the Chinese firms together with the tobacco store were insured.

It took the Brigade about half an hour to control the fire; and the engines and Police returned to headquarters about mid-night, although at a late hour the firemen were still searching the debris. It was feared that some of the inmates might have been trapped in their sleep, but up to the time of going to press no casualties had evidence of any negligence. A been reported.

A Chinese woman, an inmate of No. 171, complained to onlookers that in her hurry to escape she misplaced her jewel case, which contained valuables worth over \$1,000. She said that she was later able to recover part of the valuables.

MOTOR FATALITY.

CHINESE FOUND LACKING IN TRAFFIC SENSE.

The driver of the lorry, Pak found that all the inmates had got drove to the Mong Kok police safely away, from the roof. The station, from where the man was

John Ambulance Brigade, under Mr. An earth coolie, Choi Wan, who similar evidence.

> identified the body at the hospital mortuary the following morning as that of his nephew. Witness: to assist him at his store when

Sergeant F. J. Clark said that on receipt of a telephone message he went to the Mong Kok police station and from there he accompanied the driver to the scene of the accident. There were no skid marks at all owing to the heavy rain. He tested the brakes of the lorry and found both hand and foot brakes to be in perfect order. He went to the hospital that same afternoon and saw the injured man. He identified the body the next morning, in the mortuary.

Mr. Whyte-Smith, addressing the

Mr. Whyte-Smith, sitting as coroner with a jury composed of Messrs. E. W. Duggan (foreman), C. M. Soares and Mak Kam-chan, held an inquiry into the death of a Chinese named Chang Sing, who was knocked down by a motor lorry in Nathan Road on August 2, and died after admission to

Dr. K. Uttley said that on August 2 at 11 a.m. a Chinese male, Cheung Sing, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital in a conscious condition, suffering with severe pains in the abdomen and chest. He was operated on and estern Street.

It is believed that the fire died at 3.55 p.m., the same day.

The next morning he was identioriginated in the Chinese medicine fied in the hospital mortuary. The store, occupying the first floor of post mortem examination revealed No. 169. It soon enveloped the that six ribs on the right side were second and third floors, used as fractured and a rupture of the Chinese tenements. A choras of spleen. There was a considerable police whistles was followed by amount of blood in the abdominal the shouting for assistance of cavity. The man-died of shock. Chinese women and children following a ruptured spleen and living in the top storeys, who were internal haemorrhage. There thrown into a state of panic by were a few abrasions on dethe sight of big volumes of flames | ceased's chest and abdomen. The and smoke shooting up from injuries were consistent with his

Driver's Story.

Hang, said that he had been driving a Chevrolet lorry for one month, prior to which, he had All trams and other vehicles driven a Ford lorry for a month. become involved. The Argyll Street he noticed a private 'bus. It was raining at the time. He was about 70 feet behind the 'bus, when a Chinese man rushed out of Argyll Street and tried to cross the road between the 'bus and the lorry. 'He noticed the man when he was nine feet away. Witness sounded his horn and put on the foot brake. The man still kept on running and witness then destroyed, resorted to the roof, it had run over the man. Witness running board. Two Europeans the burning house, but it was man into the lorry and he then

was sitting next to the driver mave

Good Brakes.

jury, said that as there were no independent eye-witnesses to the accident it was difficult to tell whether anybody was at fault or whether there was any negligence on the part of the driver. They had therefore to take the evidence of the driver and the coolie according to which there was no point in favour of the driver was that the brakes had been tested and found to be in good order. And another was that if he had been travelling at an excessive speed he could not have pulled up in so short a space and the deceased would not have been lying

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CHUNGKING DISASTER.

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rendered homeless. Chungking is the foremost port

5,000 Houses Destroyed.

Peking, Aug. 28. A huge conflagration at Chung-Sun Kim testified to having king has destroyed 5,000 houses.

> had instances every day, of a preciative audience. person without any traffic sense road in front instead of behind vehicles. There could be only one verdict, he thought.

The jury returned a verdict of ed. "death due to misadventure."

BAND CONCERT.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT WELLINGTON BARRACKS.

The Band of the 1st Batt. The According to Szechuan tele- Somerset Light Infantry gave a The fire escape was sent up to came and assisted him to raise the grams a big fire broke out at concert at Wellington Barracks Chungking yesterday and gutted last night to a large gathering houses. Many people have been strong contingent from the Navy and a number of civilians.

Opening with a Poetic March. the well-known "Vanished Army," the musicians proceeded to discourse a variety of items, including a selection of songs, Strauss' "Beautiful Danube," and the "Maid of the Mountains." All these selections were played in the usual capable manner, as demonstrated It is considered fortunate that said that the deceased was going under the running board. It was at other public concerts, and met one of those cases of which they with a ready response from an ap-

> A gymnastic display given by rushing out and runnin- across men from "A" Company was the road, possibly because it was particularly interesting, some of raining or because people out here the stunts being of a daring naalways wanted to get across the ture. The instructor, Sergeant Mills, is to be congratulated upon the excellent spectacle afford-



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item entitled "Alpine Echoes," in which opportunity was given for. some excellent solo cornet effects. The National Anthem brought an The concert concluded with an enjoyable evening to a close.

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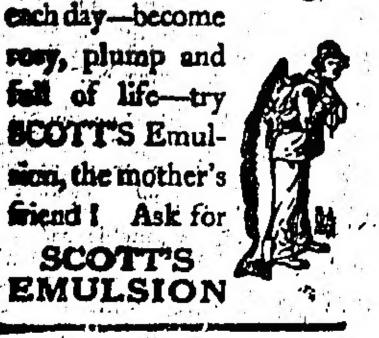
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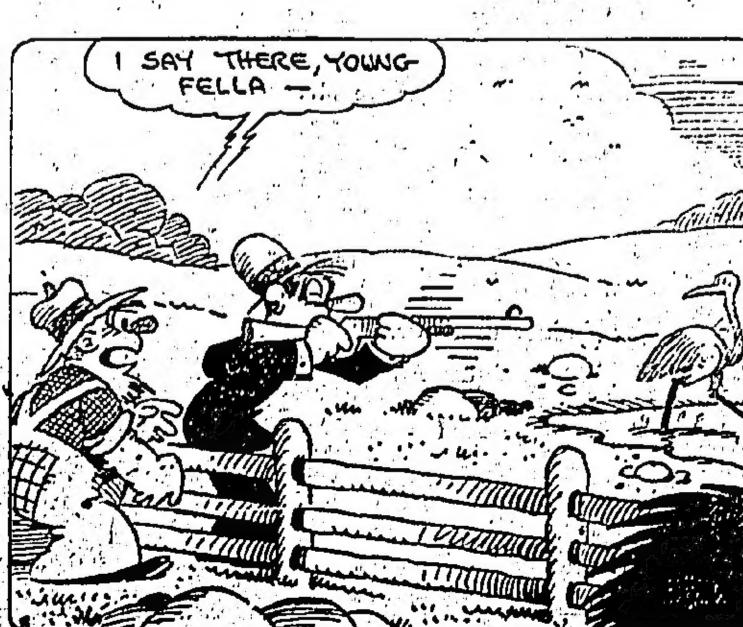


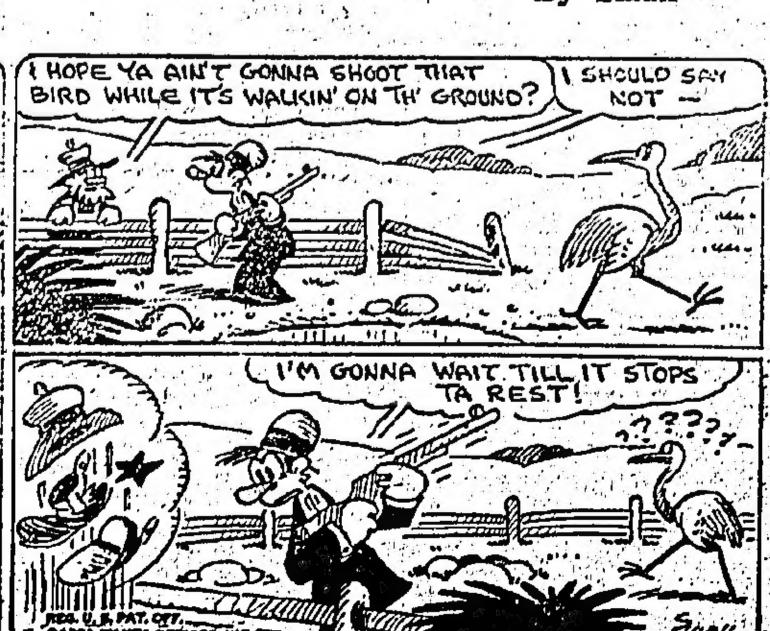
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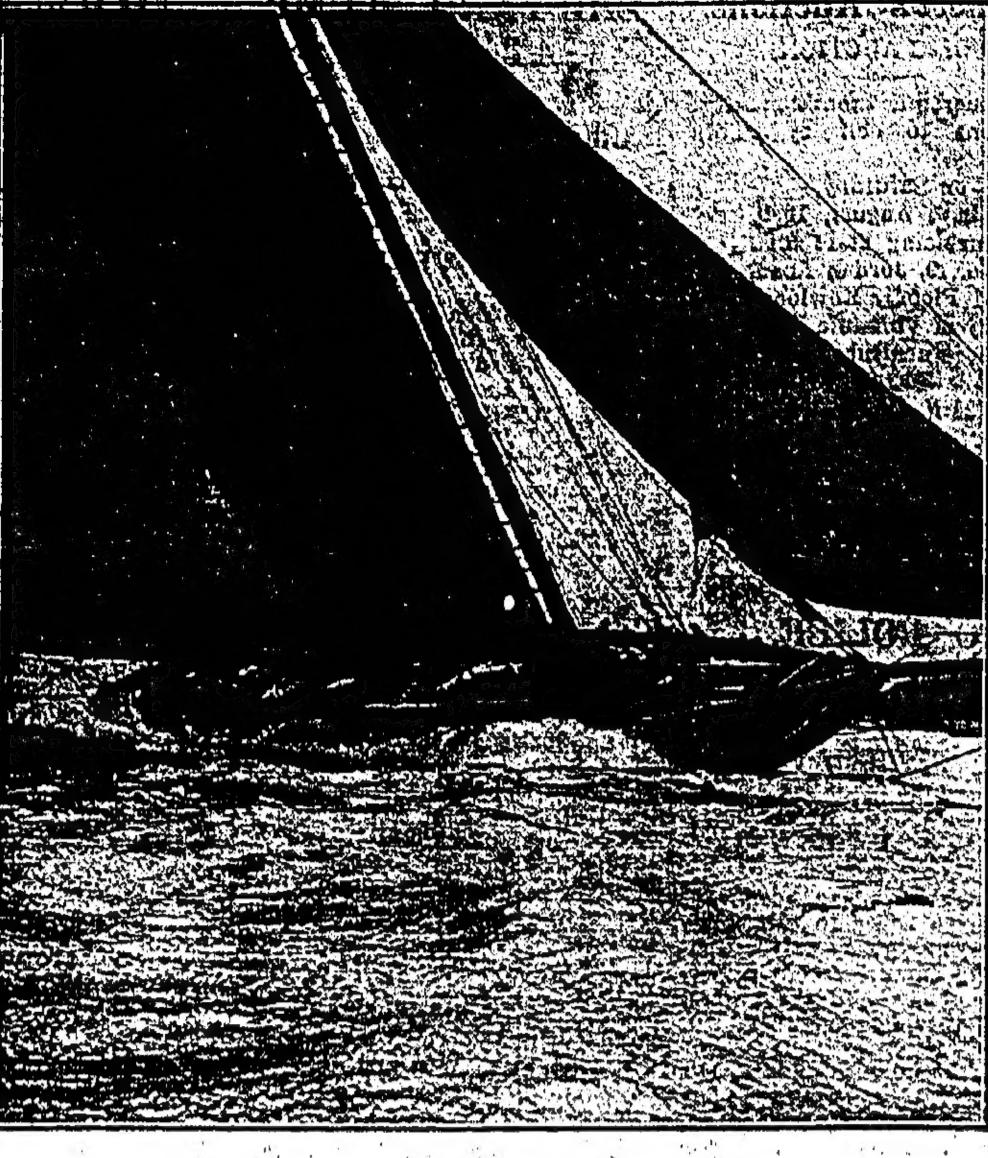








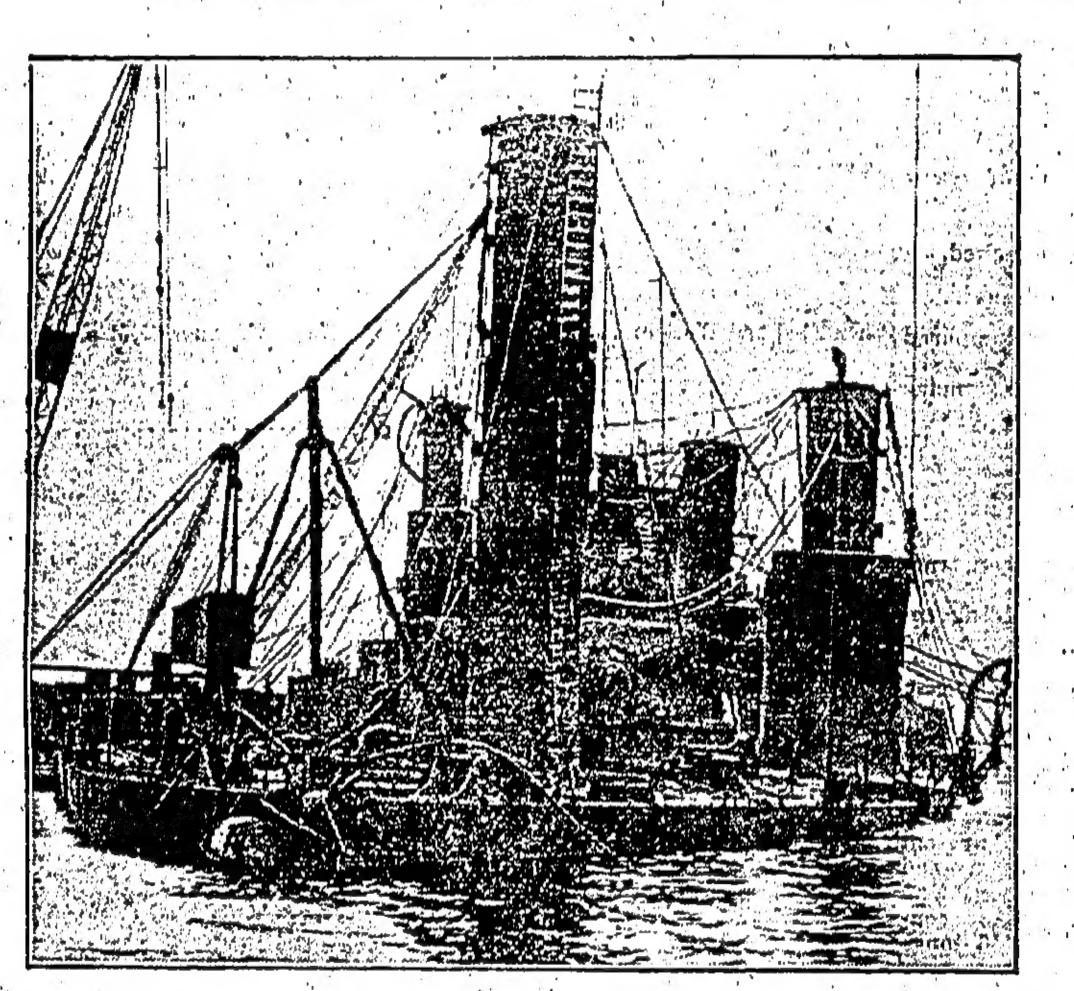
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Our picture of Mr. T. B. F. Davis's schooner Westward was taken duing the race for big yachts, at Cowes. (Times copyright).



Bebe Daniels and Ben Lyon were married in Hollywood recently in one of the most glamorous weddings in the film colony's history.



The ex-German cruiser Hindenburg, one of the surrendered fleet sunk in Scapa Flow, Orkney 11 years ago, has been refloated by Messrs Cox & Danks.
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The Duke of York walking with Colonel Sutherland through the village of Inverlochy, when he inaugurated the Lochaber hydro-electric power scheme at Fort William. (Times copyright).



Miss Muriel de Gaz Canfield became the wife of Mr. Frederick L. Upfill at H. M. Consulate at Shanghai. The Rev. C. W. Allen officiated at the following ceremony, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Davies.



Zaro Agha, above, of Istanbui, Turkey, says he has lived 158 years without tasting alcoholic liquor. He.



J. F. Fish, recovered his sight after 30 years of blindness.

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The First Practice for the coming season will take place on the Club Ground on TUESDAY, September 2nd at 5.45 p.m. All those interested are invited

to attend.

H. M. McTAVISH, Hon. Secretary

KONG CLUB HONG NOTICE.

Extraordinary Genera Meeting of the Club will be held in the Club House on Friday, the TO LET.-Godown at North Point, 5th September, 1930, at 5.30 p.m. Business: -As set forth in the notice posted in the Club.

> By order, T. A. ROBERTSON, Lieut. Col., Secretary.

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Amusements, \$26 n. Constructions, \$1.90 b. B'que Ind. G. Bonds, 62% n H.K.G. Loan 8% Prem.

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DIRECTIONS TO POLICE.

DEFINED.

DOUBTS REMOVED.

forces in England as to the cautions to be administered to persons in custody, and the obtaining of statements from them.

Bench seek to remove any cent, is building in Great Britain divergencies of opinion as to the and Ireland, and 54.5 per cent. construction to be placed upon abroad. The average percentages what are known as the judges in the last twelve months before

The Royal Commission on Police | abroad. Powers and Procedure had drawn attention to the divergencies of 230,466 tons were commenced-a opinion that seemed to exist as to decline of about 196,000 tons from the construction of the rules, the similar figures for the March

Rule 3 is as follows: Persons in custody should not be questioned without the usual caution being first administered. Rule 7 is in the following terms:

in what he has actually said.

tioned an hour without saying the 148 tankers under construcwhether it was morning or even- tion, 131 are motorships. The ing, or has not made it clear to tanker tonnage now building rewhat individual or what place he presents over 36.5 per cent. of the intended to refer, he may be ques- total steam and motor tonnage. tioned sufficiently to clear up the under construction in the world.

point. Questions Not Allowed.

Upon these points the judges advise:

Rule 3 was never intended to figures being 831,159 ton and authorise the questioning of a 556,804 tons respectively. person in custody after he has motorship tonnage being conbeen cautioned on the subject of structed abroad (1,089,346 tons) custody.

evidence.

The judges, however, point out that in some cases it may be neces-Bary to put questions to a person in custody after the caution; has been administered.

Hidden Property.

For instance, a person arrested for a burglary may, before he is formally charged, say, "I have hidden or thrown the property away," and, after caution, he; would properly be asked. "Where have you hidden or thrown it?"

The judges state that no difwith regard to Rules 1 and 2, strongly criticises the growing which explain that when a police custom of young lovers going off officer is endeavouring to discover on holiday together. the author of a crime there is no! person before asking any further house, in which rooms are often questions.

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SHIPYARD SLUMP AT HOME.

DECREASE WORK ON HAND.

WORK OVERSEAS.

The depression in the British shipbuilding industry is emphasised by Lloyd's Register in the returns for the June quarter. In Great Britain and Ireland at the end of June there was a decrease of 222,930 tons in work in hand as compared with the figures for March. The present total-92,063 tons—is 61,843 less than the tannage in course of construction at the end of June, 1929.

Of the work in hand in this country)58,000 tons are for the Dominions, "292,000 for Norway. and 232,000 for other foreign RULES owners or for sale.

The work now under construction abroad-1,665,672 tons-is 14,736 greater than the tonnage in hand at the end of March and is the highest since 1921.

Five countries abroad have A memorandum has been sent more than 150,000 tons under conby the Home Office to the police struction-United States, 238,163; Germany, 237,468; Holland, 187,-445; France, 189,960; and Russia,

The total tonnage under construction in the world amounts to In this, the judges of the King's 3,057,735 tons, of which 45.5 per tain and Ireland and 42.8 for

In Great Britain and Ireland and particularly as to how Rule quarter; and 468,023 tons were 3 should be reconciled with Rule launched an increase of about 123,000 tons. Similar figures for ed and 418,853 tons launched.

Advance of the Motorship.

A large increase, as compared A prisoner making a voluntary with the previous quarter, is again statement must not be cross- shown in tanker tonnage under examined, and no questions should construction, the present figures be put to him about it except for being 148 vessels of 1,110,056 tons, the purpose of removing ambiguity of which 84 vessels of 633,577 tons are being built in Great Britain and Ireland, and 16 vessels, For instance, if he has men- of 142,845 tons in Germany. Of

> Hoihow and Bangkok As was the case at the end of Shanghai and Europe via Siberia Nanning Sat., Aug. 30, 3 p.m. and is the highest on record. Manila March, the tonnage of motorships now under construction in Great Amoy Britain and Ireland exceeds that of steamers building, the present figures being 831.159 ton and Shanghai, Japan, *Canada, *U.S.A.,

the crime for which he is in is more than 94 per cent. greater than the tonnage of steamers. The continued progress in the Long before this rule was employment of the internal comformulated and since, it has been bustion engine for the larger the practice for the judge not to vessels is indicated by the fact allow any answer to a question so that while there are now being improperly put to be given in built in the world 91 motorships each of 8,000 tons and upwards, only 30 steamers of such size are under construction. These figures include 10 motorships and 11

PRIEST'S HOLIDAY WARNING.

steamers each of 15,000 tons and

upwards.

YOUNG LOVERS AND LURE OF THE SEASIDE.

Father Degen, the outspoken ficulties appear to have arisen priest of Coalville, Leicestershire,

It is time, he says in an interobjection to his putting questions view, to utter a word of warning to any persons whether suspected against this custom, which allows or not. When he has made up Miss Seventeen to roam off for a his mind to charge a person, how- fortnight with her favourite boy as ever, he should first caution the her escort to a seaside boarding

booked on the same floor. Unfortunately, he says, public conscience acquiesces in this dangerous practice. "In spite of the flagrant pagan-

ism, which assaults the eyes and cars at every turn, young people, on the whole, are clean in thought and mind." he continues. "Young people, however, do not, as a rule realise the frailty of hu-

man nature. "Being on the beach day after day by themselves, with no fixed programme of definite duties, they become intoxicated with the seaside carnival spirit—ta spirit of frivolity, laxity and of foolish and

daring behaviour.

16 many of these disasters would be around the municipal ash dump. of two officials of the Street Clean-

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open-air mixed sun-bathing in ing the city's rubbish out to sea. The scuffle was brief, but feroskimpy bathing costumes.

Somewhere beyond the 12-mile cious, and many shots were fired,

Before they have time to take limit this barge had tipped its stock of their moral bearings, they have drifted into moral ship-wreck. have drifted into moral ship-wreck. Six Customs officers patrolling the scume was brier, but fero-cious, and many shots were fired, cious, and cio

days together, and take their sons the river were surprised at the by smugglers in this audacious and daughters along with them, unwonted early morning activity attempt has led to the suspension No fewer than 100 apparent dust-ling Department.

men were working feverishly on the pier and barge. Themselves disguised in dungarees Customs men landed at the pier just in time to halt a lorry driving off with liquor.

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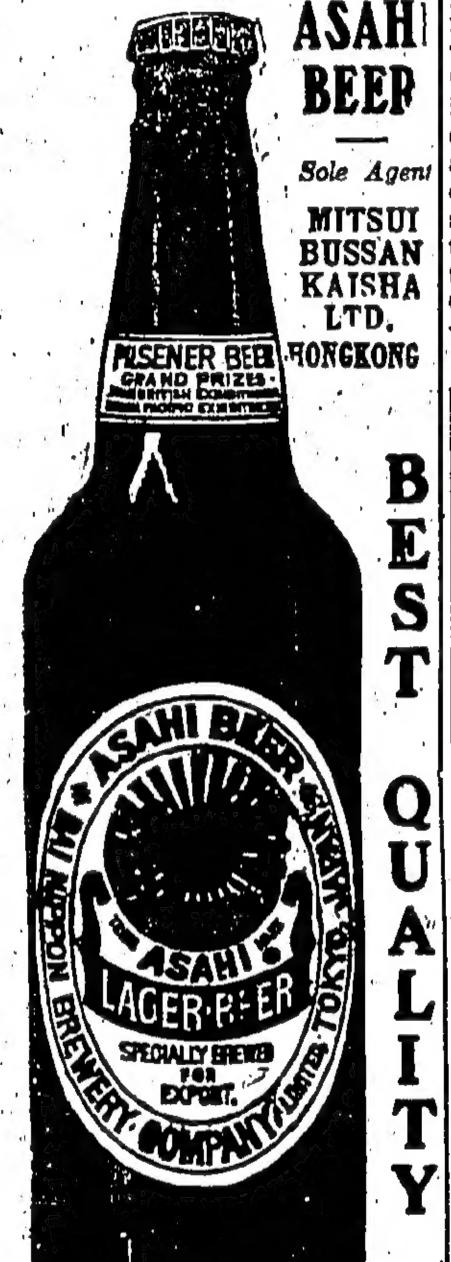
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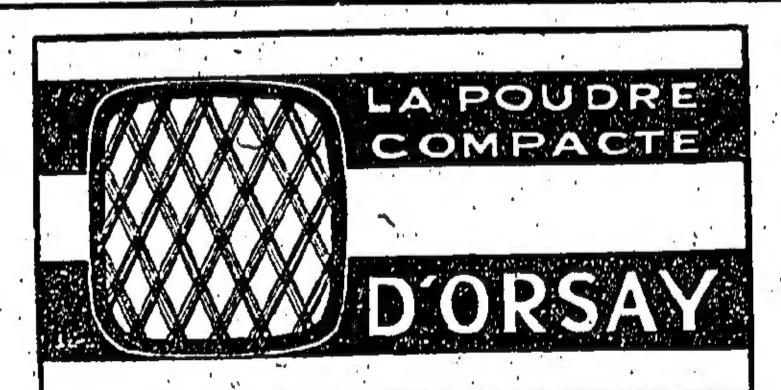
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Chocolate Pears.—Place squares Parents who are meticulously of sponge cake (or milk bread) in individual glasses and soak well with syrup flavoured with rum'or maraschino essence. Almond essence can be used if liked. Place half a tinned pear cut side downwards on each, and cover thickly with flaked vanilla chocolate. Ice cream or whipped cream can be used as well, between the cake and the pear, but though it improves the dish it is not necessary.

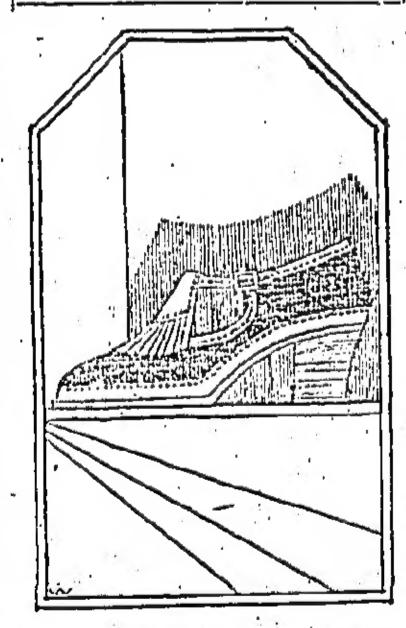
Fresh Fruit Summer Pudding.— Raspberries or loganberries are best for this, as they have plenty of juice. Mash the fruit well, and cover liberally with sugar, and add the juice of an orange and half a lemon. Line a pudding basin with fingers of bread, and fill up with the fruit puree, covering the basin with more fingers of bread. Put a plate on top, with a weight on it, and leave untilthe next day.

Apricot Slices.—Cut a Swiss roll made with apricot jam into thick slices and soak them with the juice from a tin of apricots. Spread with apricot jam, put some apricots, skin side uppermost, on top, and make a border round with coarsely chopped blanched almonds.

Grape Fruit Salad.—Cut two grape-fruit in halves, empty out all the juice and pulp into a basin, then remove all the while core and pith. Add 3oz. of caster sugar to the juice and three bananas cut up small with a silver knife, stir in a tablespoonful of sherry or rum, and leave in a cold place or on ice until required, then fill into the grape-fruit shells, top Hospital, etc., and by all the local with whipped cream and sprinkle with chopped pistachio nuts. Serve on glass plates.

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SAMENESS.

Marriage Should be A

tween husband and wife, and too little upon their saving grace.

It has long been recognised that, tract each other. For the good of not apply to friendships. the race the tall is drawn to the short, the dark to the fair, and vice versa. With as much reason there should be dovetailing of abstract characteristics rather than photographic likeness when men and women choose their Husband and wife who come under similar descriptions both on their passports and in the book of the Recording Angel are not, in fact, likely to be an ideal

Opposites Agree.

Do not assume, gentle reader, other alive. that your husband, because he is A complementary marriage allows appearance. He may be unaware GILFORD, In Exchange.

of his own deficiency or, better still, he may be lacking in the necessary conceit to ape Beau Brummel, but it is more than likely that he is immensely proud of his wife's dress sense. And pride in each other is the surest cement in the structure of marriage.

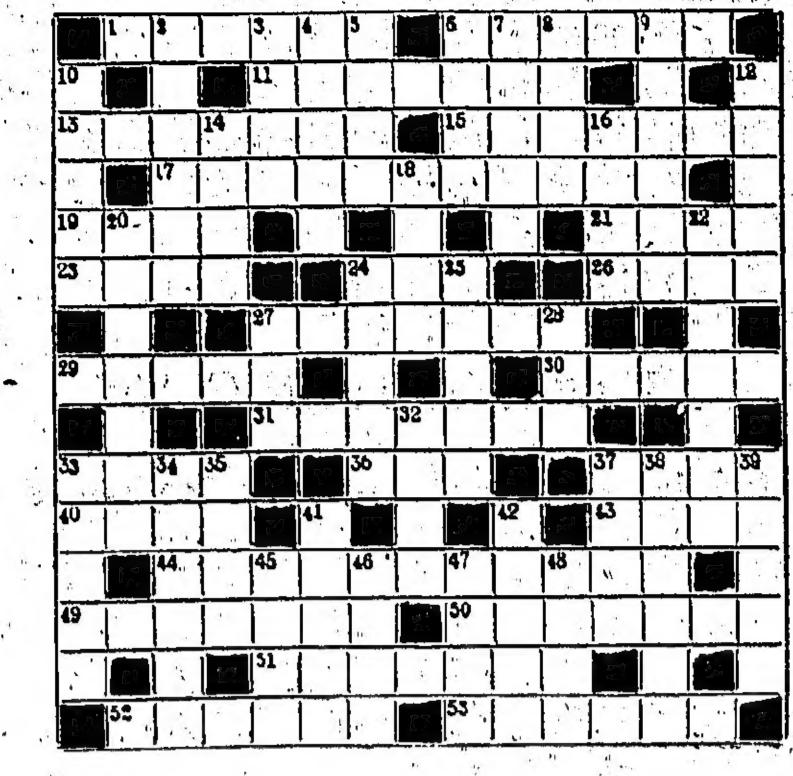
Obviously the quick-tempered Legion is the name of the fac- will go best in harness with a parttors that go towards putting the ner who is slow to anger, the imamar in marriage. But perhaps ginative idealist will need the too much stress is laid upon the capably practical. And it is no excel in some different activityan aptitude, a hobby or some form of sport—that there may be adling law, physical contrasts at an advantage, though this had best

> Mostly the weaker will tends to subject his or her personality more to the stronger. This is better than the alternative of a disastrous clashing of wills; while team-work without captaincy is likely to be utterly ineffective. Here, especially, a wise diversion of outside interests is indicated .

The things she can do that you can't the times when his aptitudes make up for your ineptitudesthese are the things that matter very much, and, if allowed, will keep a salutary interest in each

careless about dress and throws a wider life, than one of mere dudrab, ill-chosen garments upon plication, and a harmony of dihis own shoulders, will take no fferences makes finer music than note of any carelessness in your mere unrelieved unison.—Austin

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45 Bee-hive (Scotland).

22 Pain.

27 Fixed.

28 Article.

33 Ravine.

38 Seas.

41 Read.

46 Poems.

42 Fun.

37 Make full.

39 Having rims.

47 Boot covering.

F APOLOGIST R BLONDE - IDEALE CRAFT WED MILES RENTERARDO LENT THE PASSON OF TA THENCE TREVEAL E . BERKCITAL ... RATHER 8 WAGGON I MEN SHWEB BE YELL OWED MANAMEGADS NAMES GER OVER ROPING RELIEF ENHUL LE ANNEX TOW LLLING SIRE

BUYING BLOCK OF FLATS.

BIG BUSINESS THAT DID NOT COME OFF.

How a man, said to be associated with a company promoter "doing business in millions," bought a block of flats in Jermyn-street with a worthless cheque was disclosed at Marlborough-street.

Matthew Beaven (45) pleaded menace of points of difference be- less essential that each should guilty to obtaining £5 by false pretences from Henry Butler Thomas, Jermyn-street, and to ob- pecting several millions of pounds' miration rather than rivalry, taining credit while being an in obedience to some natural level- Even a divergence in taste may be undischarged bankrupt of £25 that Beaven had been continuously from Charles Coxhead at the Fox obtaining credit in a very clever, Hotel, Stowmarket, Suffolk.

block of flats in Jermyn-street, not a penny in the bank to meet said that Beaven came with an the £165. order to view the flats, the lease Mr. Bingley (magistrate) passed of which had been advertised for sentence of six months hard

During the week witness's employer rang him up and told him that he had received a deposit of £165 on the purchase price, and Beaven called on him and showed him the receipt.

On the following day Beaven met witness, and said he must have a few pounds, and Thomas let him have £2. Prisoner gave him a cheque for £5, which witness changed through a tradesman, and gave prisoner the £3." "Expectations."

Beaven said he had reasonable expectations of meeting the cheques. A company promoter a few months ago promised him a volume of business. According to the promoter's statements he was ex-

worth of business to come off. Detective-Sergt. Thomas said form. He had no hope of pur-Thomas, who is manager of a chasing the flats, and there was

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CABLES, WIRELESS AND RADIO.

It is obvious from the deliberations of the Colonial Office Conference on the question of wireless and cable communications, of which we gave some details yesterday, that we are on the eve of important developments in this matter. Ever since the wireless and cable merger was effected, there has been considerable speculation as to the future of the have been taken a step further by the Colonial Office Conference. and much more will doubtless be any of the overseas possessions, and it still remains to be seen to what extent the various parts of the Empire will come into the perial and International Communications, Ltd. At the moment, the whole position is in a state of flux.

There would appear to be an we are right in saying that the terms then arranged included a sumer. The Chairman of the Company was apparently at pains necessary to ask the Government either for a free hand to subfinancial assistance towards maintenance of cables. On other hand, the representative of Africa, now held by South Africa the General Post Office put forward the view that the Company rate speedily dropped from 120 to has a fine field and that the pros- 28 in the thousand. If its promise pects are very sound. In the ab- is fulfilled, the Conference on sence of detailed figures, it is not silicosis will be an event of firsteasy to say which is the correct class importance. reflection of the situation, but it seems that there is a good deal Friends of Mr. Robert Vallarino, going on behind the scenes of the Panama Consul General, will

understand the anxiety of the Company that the various Colonial Governments should consider the question not so much from their individual standpoint as from that of the service as a whole, for, as has been pointed out, can only be by pooling of the remunerative and unremunerative services that the maximum facilities for the whole Empire are likely to be obtained. At the same time, there would appear to of any scheme put forward, pecially in view of the monopoly which the combine is likely to en-

There are many big aspects of the general question remaining to be dealt with, and until these are straightened out it will not be cided cheapening in the rates, and p.m. any failure to secure this desirable end will only strengthen the view held in some quarters that the merger was a mistake. any event, the next few years will shuipo. undoubtedly mark a big advance in means of communication between various parts of the Empire, in which this Colony will share. The steps that are contemplated in regard to Empire radio-phone services are of imthe world, and, taken in conjunction with the wireless and cable scheme, it is clear that there are imprisonment. big developments not far ahead. We can only trust that both the perial authorities will see to it place in whatever projects are eventually put into effect.

Disease From Dust.

The whole world being the pro-

vince of the League of Nations, no surprise should be occasioned by the fact that a League conference is meeting at Johannesburg this month. South Africa, with extensive mining industries, has communications systems in the special interest in the subject for Colonies. The issue appears to discussion, silicosis. This disease, which is allied to tuberculosis, is Waltham, gold plated, double- for in former days the wedding fest spirits from the chimney, where tivities lasted often for more than formerly all fiendish beings a serious scourge among miners, cased and with an open face. who are liable to fall victims to the dangerous dust in mines which can heard of it at the forthcoming so easily get into the lungs and air Imperial Conference. Hongkong passages. Of the nine countries prised two burglars who had broken is amongst the Colonies affected, which are taking part in the conbut, so far, nothing definite has ference, eight are members of the home at four o'clock in the mornbeen decided upon in regard to League—Australia, Belgium, Can- two trunks laden with booty on what was known as "the dance in head as she entered the portals of ada, Germany, Great Britain, the floor. Mr. Perry seized one of the hog's trough." This consisted her domain, when the bridesmaid's In addition, the most important arrested in the ex-Russian Con-country outside the League, the cession. Both had previous con-United States of America, is rescheme propounded by the Im- presented. Actually the meeting is taking place under the auspices of that section of the League of Nations machine which specialises in industrial problems, the International Labour Organisation. All the delegates are experts, fully effort on foot by the Company competent to deal with the silicosis named to secure further conces- question. They have been asked sions than were agreed to at the to prepare and present reports on time of the merger. We believe the present situation with regard to the disease in their own countries. Every aspect of the problem is being covered, including specified percentage of interest such matters as workmen's comby the Government in all pro- pensation. In this way, through fits over a certain figure, the full exchange of information with an understanding that half and knowledge the experts will be of the surplus profits were to be able to learn from one another's devoted to the benefit of the con- experience. Round table discussions are not the only contact they are having with silicosis, as a very interesting programme of visits to to show the Colonial Office. Con- mines, hospitals, and laboratories ference that receipts have not in South Africa has also been been coming in as freely as was arranged. South Africa knows expected, and he even went so far from experience how valuable the as to suggest that it might be international handling of a question of this nature can be. Some years' ago the League's "I.L.O." was asked to study the high prostitute wireless for cables or for portion of tuberculosis among the the natives working in the diamond the fields of ex-German South West under mandate from the League.

which the public knows very lit- convalescing after undergoing an tle at the moment. We can well operation in the Peak Hospital.

As a result of this action, the death-

DAY BY DAY

THE MORE WE KNOW OF OTHER NATIONS THE LESS WE DISTRUST THEM .- Fletcher Moulton.

shows two Chinese cases of typhoid

be need for very careful scrutiny mir to-day included Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Nightingale, Miss Bendelack and Miss Hollis.

> His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel attended the 9.20 performance at the Central Theatre last night to witness the Paramount picture "The Four Feathers."

The first chorus rehearsal of the possible to say how Hongkong is Hongkong Philharmonic Society for "The Yeomen of the Guard" will be held at the Cathedral Hall reason, however, to expect a de- on Thursday, September 4, at 8.45

> over a bond of \$50 each to keep finally adjusted. the peace for six months by Mr.

August, having been 19 days in her excited curiosity. transit.

The Chinese who was pinned against a wall at the Kowloon Go-Colonial Government and the Im- downs on Wednesday by a motor

> some time between nine o'clock to be dreaded like death itself. and half-past ten yesterday morn- But the obligations of the chief

Mr. F. A. Perry, Departmental Manager of the British American Tobacco Company at Tientsin, surinto his residence on returning victions against them:

Penance Performed By Bridesmaids.

fever and one non-Chinese case of WATHEN were bridesmaids first and dancing a jig to the accompani-VV seen at weddings?

Passengers arriving here from least as old as the time of the Japan by the P. and O. s.s. Kash- Anglo- Saxons, among whom, according to Strutt, "the bride was In later times (says a writer in chances in the marriage market. the Weekly Mail;) this principal woman became the "chief bridesmaid," and on her fell many im- fun, there was undoubtedly an eleportant duties, increasing in num- ment of seriousness in the notion ber as the wedding ceremonial gradually became more and more ela-

ponsibility in this matter being to the eligible bachelors among the herself reflected in any sort of mir- rather hopelessly over her future. Two Chinese women were bound for after her bridal veil had been bridesmaid at a second wedding and

Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Court would attend a marriage if the was quite frankly given up as be-In this morning for fighting in Sham- bride, wittingly or unwittingly, saw ing doomed to lifelong spinsterherself in her complete attire; and hood. when in course of time vanity de-The silk forwarded from Hong- manded a last fond look, recourse kong by the Empress of Japan on, was had to the subterfuge of addthe 7th August arrived in New ing a pin or some such trifle to the day, the time-honoured, game of

to the bride's pie-a very impor- the bridescake was cut into pieces A Chinese charged before Mr. tant dish on the bridal menu two or and handed round. This duty also Whyte Smith at Kowloon this three centuries ago. This pie was devolved upon the chief bridesmaid. mense importance to this part of morning with the larceny of 17 always made round, with a strong who had first to supply portions packets of cigarettes and two man crust ornamented in various desmail enough to be passed through jongg sets from a shop in Shanghai vices. In the middle of it was a a ring, this being a regular custom. Street, was sentenced to six week's fat ham, cooked and stuffed with practised "for luck." eggs, and garnished with minced and sweet meats.

Losing the Pins.

car which had been driven unpardonable rudeness and insult was distributed for consumption. the crane of the motor if any of the guests omitted to par- the feast ending up with the best that Hongkong has a rightful car lighter, succumbed to his in- take of this dish, and the chief man drinking the chief bridesjuries last night. The man who bridesmaid, having seen it proper- maid's health out of one of the had driven the car, alleged to be a ly prepared, had next to make sure bride's wedding shoes. member of the crew of the lighter, that every guest got a suitable porabsconded immediately after the tion, lest, any one being overlooked ill-luck might follow in consequence.

The ceremony over, it remained Mr. Pearson, a quartermaster on for the chief bridesmaid to throw board the P. and O. s.s. Kashgar, away all the pins which the bride has reported the loss of a watch had worn in such a way that they valued at \$25 to the Water Police. could not be found again, for the He states that someone must have retention or finding of even one of entered the quartermasters' cabin the pins was regarded as an omen

preside in the absence of the bride terself, who, of course, had left on It was also necessary to see that

ing on August 15. There were festivities usually opened with pared for breaking over the bride's Italy, Holland and South Africa. the men and the other was later in her getting into an ordinary responsibilities would come at last

ment of the singing, whistling, and The use of bridesmaids is at general merriment of the guests.

Matrimonial Opportunity.

The idea was that by thus doing led by a matron, who was called penance for past neglect of her matthe bride's woman, and followed rimonial fortunes, or failure to by a company of young maidens, make good her opportunities, she who were called the bride's maids." would have further favourable

But though an occasion of great behind it. If, for example, she did not succeed in finding a lover in the week's festivities, when as One of these duties was that of leading lady, she had every opiressing the bride, a particular res- portunity to commend herself to ensure that the bride did not see company, people shook their heads The superstition was that no luck still failed to carry off a lover she

" Shoe as Cup.

On the evening of the wedding York (St. John's Park) on the 26th bride's toilet after she had satisfied "flinging the stocking" (to see who would be next married) having Another of her duties was to see been played during the afternoon.

> Each guest had then to receive a second portion to place under their pillows that they might dream during the night of their future it was always deemed an act of spouse, and finally the whole cake

Sprinkling Salt.

At the end of the festivities the chief bridesmaid became further responsible for conveying the marriage presents to the bride's new home, which was never entered until a vessel of salt had been carried in at the front door—a custom still maintained in many parts of the country. As a rule she sprinkled the salt over the floors as a protecing, and taken it from his (Mr. bridesmaid did not end, with the tion, against the evil eye, and Pearson's) bunk. The watch is a termination of the actual ceremony, then had fires put on to chase the a week, and over these she had to supposed to conceal themselves.

no green furnishings or decorations If the chief bridesmaid had of any kind had got into the house, younger sisters already married for these were extremely unlucky, while she remained a spinster, the and finally the cakes had to be pre-



Now and then.

BANISHEE WELL PUNISHED.

TO BE IMPRISONED AND BIRCHED.

SNATCHING INCIDENT.

Whilst walking along Bonham Road on Wednesday morning, a Chinese school girl, Leung Chik sent operating in Kwangsi have (18) had a wristlet watch snatch- now marched right through the ed from her by a man, Chan Pui | territory under the control of the (21), unemployed, of 45, Catchick Kwangsi rebels and have joined Street. He was chased and caught hands with the Cantonese forces and appeared before Mr. Lindsell at Pin Yang. at the Central Police Court this | General Lu Han, Commander-in-

defendant, Detective Sergeant Chief of the Nationalist Forces Clark asking for committal.

charges, and his Worship asked if right through Southern Kwangsi, a sentence of one year's hard la- it does not mean by any means bour was not sufficient.

be committed.

to communicate with his superiors | repulsed. again and on returning to Court Detective Sergeant Clark stated Division, under Colonel Yip Shauthat the officers were agreeable yiu, is reported to have entered that the case be taken summarily. Tai Ping Hue. The rest of the

months' hard labour birch on the charge of snatch- along the West River, with twenty-four strokes of the birch on just returned to Mong Kinng after the count of returning from banish. being for a few days in Wuchow,

HEALTH BUREAU CASE ENDS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Service Intelligence Bureau wilfully Wuchow. General Chan Chai-tong and with intent to defraud did make has requested the Naval Bureau or concur in making a false entry in here to send up more gunboats to a certain cash or account book belonging to the said Bureau purporting to show that on the said date \$520 had been paid as the office salary for one canvasser, August to March, contrary to Section to 74 (B) of the Larceny Ordinance, and submitted that the Ordinance No. 5 of 1865.

shing on or about the 9th day of was a saying in view of the fact April, 1930 at Victoria aforesaid being that the Forgery Ordinance 1922 a clerk officer or servant of the Health Service Intelligence Bureau wilfully and with intent to defraud did make or concur, in making a false entry in a certain voucher belonging to the said bureau purporting to show that on said date \$520 had been paid to. Mr. T. K. Leng (or Leung) as salary from 1st August, 1930 to 31st March, 1930 contrary to Section 74 (B) of the sent complaint. Larceny Ordinance No. 5 of 1865.

the defendant.

Not Satisfied.

complainant in the present com- quisition with the murder of a child, plaint Mr. d'Almada elicited from and the appellant was also charged worth \$1,900. He was late of No. him that he was dissatisfied with Mr. Grantham's decision and that he would continue to prosecute until he was satisfied there was a T. K. Leung. Complainant admitted in the evidence given him in both cases he alleged that verdict of not guilty upon the inquisidefendant, by a false voucher, de- tion. Before the jury were sworn to frauded the Bureau, but when Mr. try the indictment the appellant discretion, d'Almada sought to obtain an ad- handed in an additional plea of error, and to accept a plea mission from him that in regard to autrefois acquit, and, the jury having autrefois acquit as though it had Charges 5 and 6 of the previous been sworn, the appellant was first originally been properly pleaded, case defendant was in peril in respect of the present complaint it appellant on the plea and he was was ruled that this question was then tried upon his plea of not guilty

supporting that entry and has de- ground for squashing the conviction. fendant's signature chop."

At the close of the case for the prosecution, Mr. d'Almada addressed the Court and submitted that by Sec. 17 (2) of the Forgery Ordinance No. 11 of 1922 under Sec. 8 of which the complaint was brought, the complainant having proceeded in respect of the same facts under the Larceny Ordinance was estopped from now proceeding in respect thereof under the Forgery Ordinance. He also quoted cases in support of his plea of autrefois acquit.

Was Plea Bad?

the Court why he had not objected | Criminal Appeal. to the plea when it was entered, he quote cases in support of his submission that the acquittal on the previous charges was no bar in respect of the present complaint. He also argued against the in-

YUNNANESE JOIN CANTONESE.

AFTER MARCH THROUGH REBEL TERRITORY.

GUNBOAT ACTIVITY:

Canton, Aug. 28. The Yunnanese troops at pre-

morning on charges of snatching Chief of the 10th Route Army and of returning from banishment. (Yunnanese forces) is expected at Originally a charge of highway | Wuchow to confer with General robbery was brought against the Chan Chai-tong, Commander-in-South China. Although the The defendant admitted both Yunnanese forces have crossed that the rebels have been entirely The officer replied that he had suppressed. General Lu Han met received instructions from the Sec- with little opposition during his ond Assistant Director of Criminal march and the only major engage-Intelligence to ask for the case to ment in which he met the enemy troops was when he attempted to His Worship directed the officer capture Nanning and was severely

The 251st Regiment of the 63rd The defendant was given six 63rd Division; under General Li and Yang-King, is in the neighbourtwenty-four strokes of the hood of Mong Kiang advancing the complainant, Nanning as their ultimate object. a further six months' and General Li Yang-king himself has where he attended a conference of all the Divisional Commanders under the Commander-in-Chief, General Chan Chai-tong.

The Kwangtung Provincial Fleet, the 4th Naval Squadron, is also affording active co-operation with the troops in the Kwangsi campaign and gunboats are patrolling the West River above Kwangsi.-Our Own Correspon-

section had nothing to do with the (6) For that you Kwek Chun- question of autrefois acquit, but was not inclusive of all local forgery legislation, .

No Bar to Complaint,

I will say straight away that I sider it affords no bar to the pre- by his sons or their sons' sons of bands of robbers

I will now consider the submis- gious ceremonials. After hearing evidence for the sion that the plea of autrefois Au Sau (or sou)-tak, alias ed the Navy as a Chaplain and is prosecution and for the defence, 'acquit is bad, being after a plea Mr. Grantham, P.M., discharged of not guilty. The heading of the report of the King v. Banks (1911) 2K.B. p 1095) reads:

The appellant and another person In his cross-examination of the were charged upon a Coroner's inalone upon an indictment with the 8b, East Street, Quarry Bay. Letmanslaughter of the child, to both of ters of administration have been which they pleaded respectively not granted to the widow, Yu Kamguilty. Counsel for the prosecution chun, who is living at the Quarry offered no evidence upon the Coroner's Bay address. inquisition for murder and the jury by up di ection of the judge found a and was convicted. Upon appeal Mr. d'Almada in the course of against the conviction on the ground

credit to refund of Mr. Kwok's autrefois acquit in addition thereto so advance \$400.' Entry same day long as the plea of not guilty stood salary for one canvasser (August- upon the record, and that therefore he March) \$520. Ex. L is voucher could only rely upon that plea as a

Would be Unjust,

As was stated in the judgment of the Court in that appeal, "The point being an extremely technical one may properly be met by a technical answer," but it appears to me that it would be most unjust to deprive by a technicality a defendant, who has already faced over twenty charges and been acplead autrefois acquit.

cision in the King v. Banks to hold tical, if evidence of the facts althat the defendant's plea of leged in the second indictment appeal. autrefois acquit is bad and to refuse | would legally have been enough to At the next hearing of the case to consider it? I think that I am procure some conviction on the zance in connexion with the appeal tongue of relatively high pressure Mr. Lo referred to The King v. not. When the case was before first indictment." Banks (1911 2 K.B.D. p. 1095) and the Central Criminal Court, no submitted that the double plea of objection was taken by the prose- employed. It is enunciated by not guilty and nutrefois ocquit was cution to the admission of the Buller in R v. Vandercomb bad. He stated that he would not plea and Lord Alvertsone, C.J., Roscoe p.476) and it is quoted object to the withdrawal of the declared that that could not affect with references, in the King v. autrefois acquit. When asked by the jurisdiction of the Court of Banks already referred to.

In the present complaint, no replied that he had not his authori- objection was taken to the add the present case. ties by him at the time. On a mission of the plea and the point. The voucher in the present case decision on the point taken being was only taken by Mr. Lo sub- which the defendant is alleged to decossor on the Bench, (Mr. Gransequent to Mr. D'Almada's address have uttered, well knowing it to tham) who tried the case, had and after he (Mr. Lo) had called have been forged, is the same witnesses for the prosecution, but while the matter was still before this court. Even if Mr. Lo is not The relevant positions in the previous case.

The relevant possesses is content of the description o terpretation put by Mr. d'Almada estopped from taking the point above in this judgment. I amount fixed.

TWO LOCAL ESTATES PROVED.

\$34,000 HERE.

Hongkong estate to the value ecutrix appointed in the will, who been appointed Assistant Trade is temperarily residing at No. 189, Commissioner to Hongkong. Connaught Road West.

Loong and the Cheong Seng Fatt. He directs that the sum of \$3,000 be spent on his funeral and that a similar sum be given to his son for marriage expenses. Testator further directs that all debts due to the firms be given to his widow,

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT.

Topical Pictures For To-morrow.

To-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Art Supplement will contain an interesting selection of topical pictures.

Amongst many sporting events illustrated will be the lawn bowls matches between Craigengower and Taikoo and between Civil Service and the K.C.C., as well as the baseball match in which the Japanese defeated the Filipinos. Players who took part in the mixed doubles tennis match between the I.R.C. and U.S.C.R.

will also be shown in a group. Another interesting picture will be a group of the Kowloon Dock kilted Boy Scouts, whilst other photographs will show the guests at a party given by Mr. H. S. Mok to the staff of the South China Athletic Association, the new Central Bank of China building in Canton, and several bathing pictures.

after which the remainder of the estate is to be divided into ten shares and distributed among the

must be used for Council, paying the expenses of observance and performance of the the yearly rites, prayers and reli-

Au Yin-sang, alias Au King- appointed to H.M.S. Suffolk, hing, formerly a clerk Messrs. Butterfield and Swire. died at the Wah Eastern Hospital on or about July 2, this year, left local estate

ceedings. ly entitled tried upon that plea. By direction of leaving the defendant the opportthe judge the jury found against unity of pleading over to the

Plea Accepted. his cross-examination of this wit- that the judge ought to have held autrejois acquit and proceed to be false and fraudulent, and it has I therefore accept a plea of ness read from page 5 of the de- that the plea of autrefois acquit was consider it on its merits. It is never been suggested that defenfollowing passage:—"Ex. J. (cash having pleaded not guilty to the in- it is necessary to ask: (1) Was c it is necessary to ask: (1) Was defendant shall go without day" the prisoner "in jeopardy" on the and is altogether discharged from first charge?; (2) was there a the prosecution. final verdict?; (3) was the pre- Mr. D'Almada, applied for a vious charge substantially the certificate of discharge for the same as the present one?

Am I therefore bound by the de- They are sufficiently nearly iden- pended on the advice of counsel.

This test has been frequently

Applying the Test.

I propose to apply that test in

ASSISTANT TRADE COMMISSIONER.

STRAITS' MERCHANT LEAVES MR. D. M. MAYNARD ARRIVES M.P. WEARS SALVATION ARMY

Word has been received through of \$34,000 was left by Leong Yew- the offices of the United States teng, shop-keeper, late of No. 34, Trade Commissioner, Mr. Gran-Upper Weld Road, Singapore, who ville Woodard, of the arrival on died on March 6, this year. Pro- Tuesday, August 26th, of Mr. bate has been granted to the wi- David M. Maynard, formerly of dow, Leong Lee-see, the sole ex- Claremont, California, who has

Testator had resided in the Princeton of Columbia Univer- and the provinces. Straits Settlements for 20 years and sities and received the degree of His object was to see for himowned two firms, the Cheong Seng Doctor of Philosophy from the self the conditions which obtained University of Chicago.

the American Committee of the mission. League of Nations, Geneva, for Secretariat of the League of Nations.

Before accepting the appointment with the United States Department of Commerce, Mr. Maynard was Professor of International Relations at Lake Forest Whit-week holiday. In addition I

in residence at the Repulse Bay end of May. Last Friday night I

YEARS AGO.

SOME EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES.

The following extracts are from Soldier' to those inside. the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended August 28th, 1909,

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 834d.

sent to Dr. G. Montague Harston modation. several pieces of embroidered silk in recognition of his voluntary quarters seems to prefer stout to services in treating cases of eye other beverages. A disquieting disease at the Tung Wah Hospital. feature was the number of young

A reader wrote suggesting that in lieu of raising other revenue. the Government should tax all bachelors, spinsters, widows and widowers.

Military officers surveyed the the purpose of depositing all the facilities in the way of roads in Bethnal Green, notices everyashes and memorial tablets of his existed for stationing patrol where advertising food. One was concur with Mr. Lo's interpreta- parents, his wife, himself and his guards of mounted constabulary impressive. It read: Bread, tion of this section and that I con- children, and for the performance in districts liable to attacks by cheese and pickles, and a glass of

alleged in the present complaint, games, but I saw no evidence of namely that the defendant, on or gambling. about the 9th day of April 1930 unlawfully did utter, then well knowing the same to have been feloniously forged, a certain much the Salvation Army officers document to wit, a voucher pur- are held in respect by those who porting to be signed by one T. K. resort to publichouses for their Leung for the sum of \$520, i.e. a social life. They are obviously valuable security forged with in- looked upon as real friends. tent to defraud, would have been tent to defraud, would have been 'My general conclusion was that enough to procure his conviction the slum conditions are worse on charge 5 of the previous case where the public-houses for wilfully and with intent to thickest. defraud making or concurring in making a false entry in a certain tenants heedless and tolerant of cash book-contrary to Section 74 the conditions of the property in (b) of the Larceny Ordinance which they live." No. 5 of 1865. If the voucher was feloniously forged, the entry of which it is said by the complainant to determine | dant did not make that entry.

Judgment therefore is 'that the

defendant.

In the present case the answer | Mr. Lo, addressing the Bench, to the first two question is in the said there had been many cases in affirmative. It is only in re- which notices of appeal were gard to the third question that given and nothing had come out Company says that it understands there is any doubt. Mr. D'Almada of them. Therefore, he would Norway, Belgium and Holland are has argued that the charges are the promise nothing in this case, save same. Mr. Lo that they are not. to say that they had instructed In Keuny's outlines of Criminal counsel with the view to appeal, Law 13th Edition p.476 we find and to apply to his Worship to "To determine whether the two state the case and also for copies quitted thereon, of his right to charges are substantially iden- of the depositions. Whether or tical is often a subtle problem. no an appeal would be made, de-The Magistrate gave leave of

> came up for discussion, his Wor- extends south-westward to S.W. ship fixed the amount at \$2,000. China. The local forecast is:said an appeal would not have fine. entailed that much in costs. He suggested \$500.

Mr. D'Almada, agreeing with the ed out that, following the defendant's acquittal in previous proceedings, when notice of appeal fixed the amount of recogni-

Mr. Butters confirmed

PUBLIC HOUSE TOUR.

UNIFORM.

THE CHUCKER-OUT.

Wearing the uniform of a Salvation Army officer, and carrying a bundle of "War Cry" papers under his arm, Mr. Ernest Winterton, M. P. for Loughborough, made a Mr. Maynard is a graduate of prolonged "pub crawl" in London

in relation to the housing, and to Mr. Maynard was a member of get evidence for the Licensing Com-

"I first made a survey of the reseveral years and during the year lation between the over-licensed 1926 was a member of the areas and the housing conditions, and for that purpose I visited Leicester, Nottingham, Manchester, Liverpool, Birkenhead and Birmingham," Mr. Winterton said.

20 Houses in a night.

"This took up the whole of my made a survey of Shadwell, Custom Mr. and Mrs. Maynard are now House and Bethnal Green at the revisited some of these London

"My 'pub-crawl' extended to 20 houses in one night. I had to have an excuse for entering them all, so, accompanied by a Salvation Army Headquarters officer, and dressed in the Army uniform, I sold copies of the 'War Cry' and the 'Young

"What struck me most was that there were more women than men drinking, both in the saloon and public bars in London. My visits were between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m., and towards 10 o'clock the bars Arrangements were made by were crowded with women, many leading Chinese merchants to pre- being unable to find seating accom-

"London women in the poorer women in the houses.

The Chucker-out.

"In Hoxton I found a number of girls, aged between 17 and 20 with a group of young men in a house at five minutes after the closing An Ordinance to provide for the hour. When the 'chucker-out' saw establishment of a Dogs' Home us he was obviously frightened be-The will states that one was passed by the Legislative cause it was past time, and in getting the men out there was nearly a free fight between them.

"I saw no catering in the evenrights and usages of Sinchew, for New Territories to discover what ing hours, but I found, particularly

"A great number of workmen Rev. F. D. Bunt, M.A. has enter- go to these houses for cheap lunches, and this brings them back again at night.

"Darts, shove-ha'penny and cards hold that evidence of the facts are the most popular public-house

Slum Tolerance.

"It was a revelation to me how

"The public-house makes the

WAR AMMUNITIONS FOR CHINA.

TEN. MILLION CARTRIDGES FROM SWEDEN.

Stockholm, Aug. 28. The Svenka Metallverken Company has asked the permission of the Swedish Government to export consignment of ten million Mauser cartridges to the order of permitting the export of ammunition to China.—Reuter.

FINE WEATHER.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone central over When the matter of recogni- North Japan has weakened, but a Mr. Lo, objecting to the amount, Light, easterly or variable winds;

amount fixed by the Bench, point- Blackfriars Bridge, shortly before midnight gazed in wonder at a "ball of fire" which played around the top of a large tower on the opposite side of the river. The ball glowed a pinkish red colour, like St. Elmo's fire which is frequently seen around the trucks of ships' masts when at sea in thunderstorms. Heavy clouds were above the tower at the time but there was no rain.

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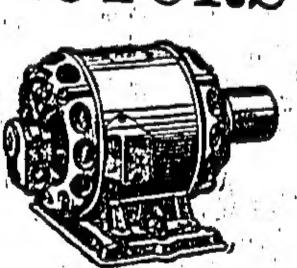
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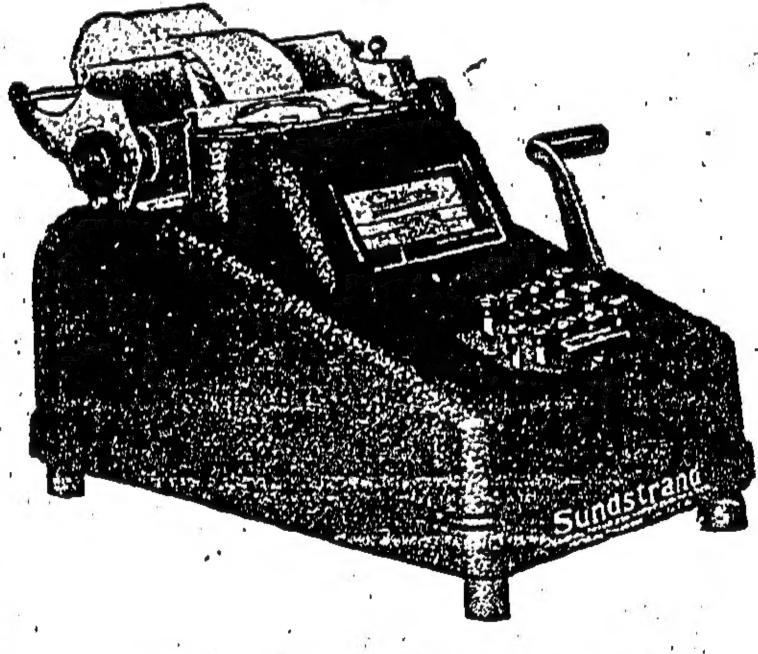
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WORLD BECOMING CROWDED.

THE FUTURE.

LIVING ON AIR.

remarkable theories in his presidential address to the Society of Chemical Industry at Birmingham.

He predicted that the air, from which our supplies of nitrogen are which our supplies of nitrogen are minary legal arguments were heard. now synthetically obtained, might Mr. W. N. Raeburn, K.C., Mr. B. also supply synthetic fuel in place B. Stenham, and Mr Herbert Shanmaterials and power would ultimately be drawn from air, water,

soil, and sun. Another ten or fifteen generations, he declared, would see the exhaustion of the world's principal coal deposits. The age of coal was passing. It would have lasted, when it was over, for a less period than the Moorish occupation of Spain, which at the time seemed so vanished, leaving behind it nothing fore the Court by way of a Petibut a garden here and there, a claims for compensation involving palace or two preserved by the conqueror's pride, and a few romantic millions of pounds.

figures to show how water power by the Crown. Vin appetite.

"Cheap-Jack" Principle.

"The directing of the great "Accordingly we were asked by sources of power in nature for the the Government to send in our use and convenience of man" was claims, and we filled up forms, one of the declared objects of the hoping and believing that in due Institution of Civil Engineers, and course we were to be paid from was so stated in their charter grant- some source or other. Then the ed a hundred years ago.

precisely the long range research many, but we have not received that the Government can do, and any of it." ought to do, and does not do. It is costly, but necessary. That such long range research is likely to produce results is certain. The losses of the Napoleonic wars were soon made good by the development of steam and coal. The losses of the last war can be made good by learning to use more effectually the natural forces for industrial work. The population of the world to-day is over two thousand millions. it continues to increase at the average annual rate of one per cent., the world will have doubled its

population in seventy years." blems of great difficulty would arise between the nations that had £300,000,000. enough food and timber and those that had not. What was the rest of the world going to do with people who owned large tracts of the earth and would cultivate properly neither their forests nor their fields; people tion might depend peace or war in lians who suffered war damage. a generation or two.

Costly but Necessary.

In Britain, which was densely populated, and where, therefore, land was relatively scarce, the proper utilisation of the land was obviously more important than in countries where land was relatively plentiful. It was therefore most remarkable that the common sense of the people had not forced upon the State a consistent agricultural policy.

In 1928 we had 32,750,000 acres or not? There were 50,000,000 mines. people in this island and the num- In reply to Mr. Justice Roche, Sir ber was still growing. We obtain- William Jowitt said that roughly ed and could only obtain the great £100,000,000 had been received quantity of our food and raw ma- from Germany. "Undoubtedly," terial by importing from outside he said, "hopes were held out to

seen by the Victorian or so-called tunately. These people certainly was to import raw material and is, to be observed that they have food and to export manufactures. been paid £5,000,000 of the amount That was why they neglected agri- received, and that is a larger proculture. This pre-supposed a choice portion than their claims would of people abroad willing to take up entitle them to if they ranked pari our manufactures at "good" prices, passu, with all the other claims." and a choice of people willing to supply us with food and raw materials at "cheap" prices. Our business, we were told, was to choose the cheapest supplier and sell to the highest bidder. It was the principle of the cheapjack who moved on from fair to fair. It was not the maxim for permanent busi-

We should, in the absence of international cartels, always have to sell in competition with people who

also had a surplus to sell.
"Big business," Dr. Levinstein declared, "must and does look It may be more difficult for us ahead, but our biggest business later on, when food and timber are Britain's business—does not look scarcer, to make such an arrange-ahead. It is difficult to get its ment. Now would appear to be the managers to take a long range view. time to act."

SUFFERED BY WAR.

AGAINST

MILLIONS INVOLVED.

Dr. Herbert Levinstein, the The legal fight between the Civi-eminent chemist, developed some lian War Claimants' Association

of coal, and that the world's raw ly appeared for the suppliants; and the Attorney-General (Sir William) Jowitt, K.C.) and Mr. Colin Pearson for the Crown.

The Civilian War Claimants' Association was formed in 1925 for the purpose of obtaining compensa-tion for civilians in the United Kingdom who suffered injury or loss of property through enemy action during the war. Their claim against the Crown came betion of Right based on numerous

Points of law; were raised by a Dr. Levinstein went on to quote demurrer which had been entered

is replacing coal power, and how It was said by the suppliants, the substitution of the growing said the Attorney-General: "We plant-timber-for coal or oil, was are some of a class of people who impossible. The world could not underwent misfortune, and during spare enough acres of actual or pos- the war were assured by politicians sible forest lands, for the world's of all descriptions, by observations acres were a fixed quantity, while in the House of Commons, and in the world's inhabitants were grow- one case in answer to a deputation, ing not only in numbers, but also that our claims would receive attention, and that we should be compensated out of funds to be received from Germany.

war came to an end, and a sum "This," said Dr. Levinstein, "is of money was received from Ger-

£1,500,000 Claimed.

Sir William mentioned that the Crown's claim against Germany was for £3,000,000,000, but, he added, "we have not received much of The suppliants allege that the

money which has been received has not been expended on their behalf or paid to them, and they say that they are entitled to have it paid to The face value of the present

claim, continued Sir William, was about £1,500,000. The total figure The two chief competitors for of civilians war claims was £45,the world's acres were the produc- 000,000; claims in respect of pention of food and the production of sions amounted to £1,700,000,000; timber. Long before there was any shipping losses totalled £763,000, actual world shortage acute pro- 000; and allowances paid to soldiers' and sailors' dependants was These figures brought the Crown's claim against Germany to £3,000,000,000, and of the amount recovered from Germany civilians had received more

than their proportionate share. Mr. Justice Roche-They, have who owned land that could feed us, received something?-Yes, there but which, by their idleness, was a Commission set up under the poverty, ignorance, and selfishness chairmanship of Lord Sumner, and did not feed more than themselves? the Government allocated £5,000,-Here were some problems for the 000, which was distributed by the League of Nations. On their solu- Commission among various civi-

"Entitled to Sympathy."

Mr. Justice Roche-Have these suppliants or their assignees received something or nothing? Mr. Raeburn-Some have had a

little; some have had nothing. Sir William Jowitt then read the

petition, which contained 60 clauses. and set out 26 individual claims, the largest of which was repatriated civilian prisoners from Ruhleben for £1,185,205.

Reference was made to enemy under grass and 12,750,000 acres bombardments of the East Coast of of arable land in Great Britain. England, to air raids, and to the Was it economically sound to have sinking of merchant ships and this proportion of our land grass fishing vessels by submarines and

these people, but you cannot get The business of England, as a quart out of a pint pot, unfor-'Manchester School" of economics, deserve sympathy and help, but it

> Sir William, submitting that the case was covered by authority, cited a case which came before the Courts on a similar Petition following upon the China War in the late Seventies. In that case, he said, it was held that the matter. was one for Parliament to correct and not for the Courts, and he suggested that the position had not been changed since then.

The hearing was adjourned.

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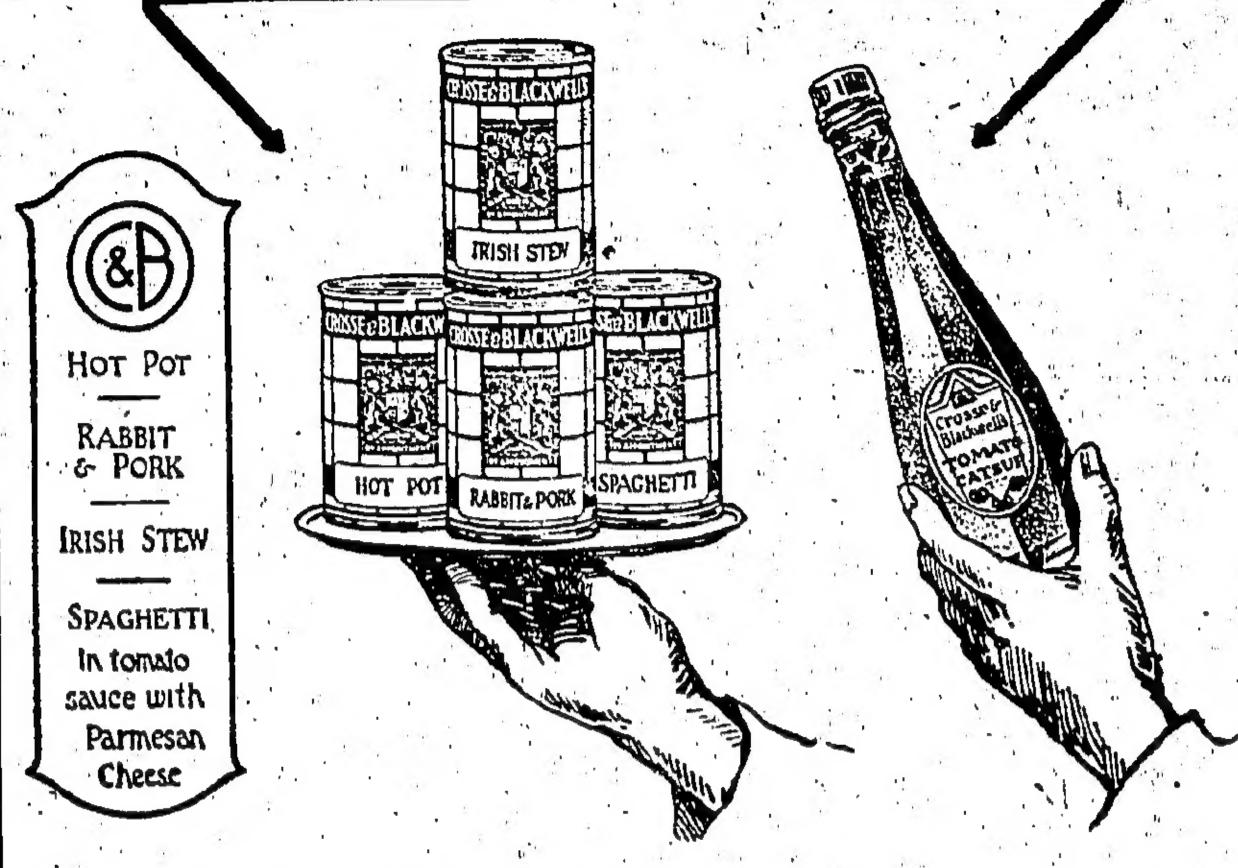
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STARTING TIMES FOR THE WEEK-END.

The starting times at Fanling on Sunday are as follows:

9.20 a.m. F. J. de Rome and J. W. Franks.

9.24 a.m.-A. G. Coppin and S. S. 9.28 a.m.-J. Younger and F. Black. 9.32 a.m.-W. Clerk and R. Young.

9.36 a.m-D. J. Keogh and Dr. 9.40 a.m.-O. Eager and A. D. Humphreys.

9.44 a.m.-G. E. Ellams and I 9.48 a.m. W. C. Shields and Comdr. Priestley.

9.56 a.m.-A. Leach and A. E. Lissaman. 10.00 a.m.-E. C. Frederick and D. J. Gilmore. 10.04 a.m.-E. Stone and Capt.

9.52 a.m.-L. H. Geare and J. Stuart.

White. Monday's Times. 9.20 a.m.-D. Black and W. G. Lorimer.

9.24 d.m.-C. B. Brown and A. G. 9.28 a.m.-A. C. L. Bowker and M.

G. Mills. 9.32 a.m.-I. C. Highet and P. Morrison. 9.36 a.m.-A. B. Purves and W. W.

Mackenzie. 9.40 a.m. Comdr. Priestley and L. H. Geare. 9.44 a.m.—A. D. Humphreys and R.

9.48 a.m.-A. D. Coppin and H. G

ANGLO-AMERICAN GAMES.

PRESIDENT HOOVER ON THEIR SIGNIFICANCE.

In an address from Mr. Hoover, Anglo-American Games, the President said it was not entirely accidental that such a meeting had been arranged for the second anniversary of the signing of the Kellogg Peace Pact. Such an athletic contest was the best proof that nobody was thinking about war.

A band, of American Legion pipers, headed the parade of athletes prior to the contest, and fifty thousand spectators cheered most lustily when an American Legionary and a British Highlander took up positions at the foot of two masts bearing the respective national flags, which dipped in salute when the athletes passed.—Router's American Service.

THE HONG DOUBLES. THREE MATCHES IN THE

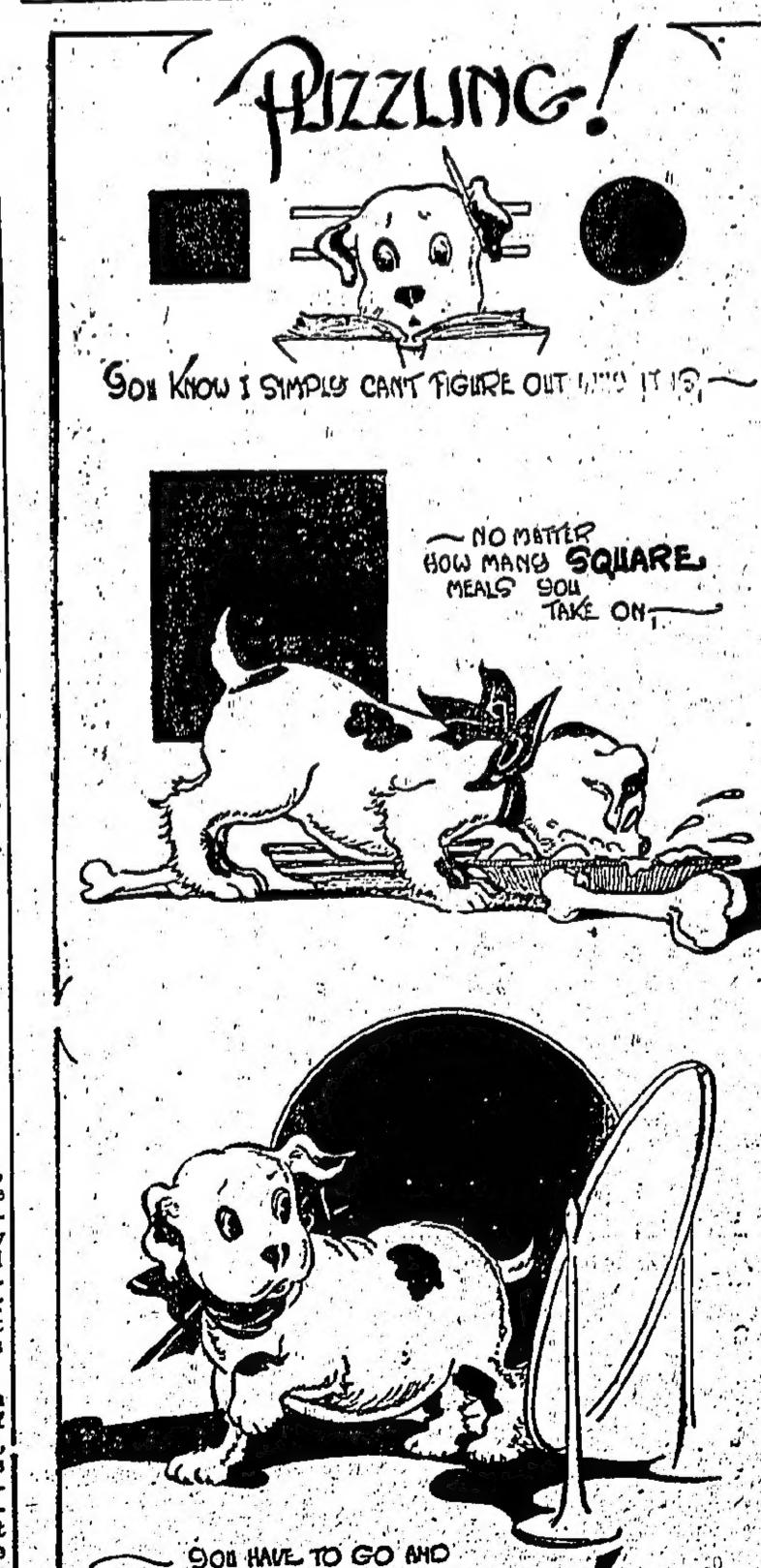
THIRD ROUND.

L. Goldman and G. Miskin (-15/3) best C. J. D. Law and T. C. B. Black (+15), 6/8, 6/1. G. S. Hugh Jones and J. T. Prior The following were results in the Collis (+15/1), 6/8, 6/2.

third round of the Hong Tennis Capts. E. C. Etherington and C. A. doubles yesterday at the Hongkong de Linde (-4/8) beat M. G. Mills and Cricket Club:

Cricket Club:

G. W. Stabb (+3/6), 6/0, 6/2.



GET SO ROUND

CORALIE STANTON.

Heath Mosnen.

CHAPTER XXXIX

Steyne and Clarissa Morley had fixed a day in September, for their wedding. Chummy hardly knew how it had come about. They seemed to have drifted together again. Alan took up painting once more, and often came to her .for hints and encouragement.

The month of August was wonderful. They seemed to be alone in New York. Even the inveterate on a holiday. Judy was still in Scandinavia.

Dumont had been to Toulouse, to visit some of his French relatives. He had come 'back bronzed by the sun and full of energy; but they canvas which he called "Life's Chop House."

Chummy and Alan . had their meals together, as of yore. In the evenings they drove up the river in Alan's two seater. Sometimes they took a day off and drove to some quiet little place by the sea.

One moonlight night—a night of enchantment-Alan asked Clarissa whether she would not change her mind and marry him, after all. She was living on her emotions all that time. Being with him day after day in this lonely intimacy had broken down all her defences. Life had become like a dream, and in dreamland she always imagined herself to be-Alan's wife.

So on those moonlit sands she opened her soul to him, and they went back to town betrothed anew. It was after midnight when they reached New York. She ran up her stairs, locked her door, and threw herself on her knees beside the bed.

Then came the last days of August, and a great black cloud sudthe little band.

Chummy and Steyne were in the gave way. Cafe Ture one night. Michael Stone days. Bastien came in, white and to feel anything. distraught.

"Have you heard?" his words tumbled over one an-

"No! What? Is it bad news?" came from the others.

tien's lips like a wail. ed his hands.

from every corner of the cafe. "Has than anyone in the world. something happened to Judy?" "Haven't you heard?" Dumont

a panic-"

from Alan's face. He was not look. or break, or something!' ing at her. He was not looking at anybody, or at anything. To her he seemed like a dead man. .

She just enough, felt no emotion. listened to what was said. "Was-Judy-hurt?"

Michael Stone rather hoarsely. "She was frightfully burned," Dumont went on. He talked vne- you! chanically now, like a man in a trance. "They don't think she'll an old man!" die. She could have saved herself easily enough, as the fireproof curtain was lowered to shut off the jumped down from the stage to crowd--"

"Don't, Bastien, don't!" said old!" Tony Leigh; in a voice that positively ached: "Judy-Judy caught in a panicky crowd-tiny little lady!"

Then everybody began to talk at once. Emotion loosened all their tongues but Alan's. Alan continued to sit there, looking like a man who has ceased to live.

Chummy was very quiet. All her faculties were taken up in school-

It began to be intolerable sit there, saying nothing, doing nothing. The other men did not appear to notice him. She angry in a dull kind of way. Some one must notice him soon, and must again. realize that his life had come to a full stop because Judy had been to ask; but presently Judy said: nearly burned to death.

She touched his shoulder. news has upset us all so much. I may. So it's a toss up, you see!" that Chummy is going to be happy!

He looked at her quietly. It was awful!" as if his mind returned from an immensely long journey. There nourishment, and very kindly but the nurse came in. Seeing him was no awkardness, no hesitation, firmly decreed that Miss Morley young and good to look at, and

he said. "I know how you are feeling. Yes-I think we'll go."

He rose to his feet, giving himself a shake. He joined a group of men, took a paper from lone of them, and read the dispatch about the fire at the theatre.

"It was just like Judy, wasn't it," he said, "to try to save the old

His voice sounded almost indifferent. His friends looked at him askance; but Chummy knew that he was not indifferent. He was simply not there among them in habitues of the Cafe Ture had gone the Cafe Ture. His real self was miles away, with Judy on her bed

The little crowd thought and Goodyear Tire & Rubber talked of nothing else but Judy Granby Consolidated saw little of him because he was in was mid-September, but there was International Nickel the frenzy of creation, working no talk of marriage between Montgomery Ward like a madman on a great symbolic Chummy and Steyne; and the others found this quite naturalespecially Dumont, How could anybody think of getting married while Judy was lying ill in a foreign country?

They were all waiting in a state of suspended animation until Judy came back.

She came in the fourth week of September, and it was Bruce Gideon's yacht that brought her. All her artist friends, with their vivid imaginations, were glad, for once, that she had a rich man to help her.

She was brought back to New York to a nursing home, and for a few days nobody could see her. It was reported that she had been very well cared for after the fire, having made a host of friends, and being nursed devotedly in the house of the foremost citizen of the town. At her departure she had been feted like a national heroine. Crowds had collected all along the route of the motor ambulance, and had cheered and shouted for little dancer who had risked her life for an unknown old man.

Chummy was the first to see her. dealy descended and enveloped all Judy asked for Chummy, and went on asking for her until the doctor

and Tony Leigh were also there, a roomful of flowers. She still had having returned from their holi- that curious sense of not being able

Judy was not in bed. She was in "Have you heard?" he cried. a big chair, heaped with pillows. She was pathetically small—a little He was so wildly agitated that broken bundle, wrapped in great bandages. Her face was untouched. but frightfully thin and white,. and her eyes were preternaturally bright with fever and pain; but she was getting much, much better:

Chummy!" said the hoarse voice. Chummy's eyes sought Steyne's Chummy felt something snap in face instinctively. She saw it set her breast. The power of feeling and hard, like a mask. He clench- came back to her, and she fell on her knees beside Judy's chair "Judy!" A great cry went up knowing that she loved Judy better

"Judy! Little, 'little Judy!" "You can't touch me!" laughed went on. "It's in the papers. The Judy hysterically. "If you want to theatre where she was dancing was kiss me, you must just peck at my burned to the ground. There was cheek. It seems I'm made of sugar, and I can't be put out in the sun Chummy could not take her eyes or left out, in the rain. I'd melt,

Chummy pressed her lips to the bandaged hand that, lay on the me to. Chummy herself, strangely satin quilt over Judy's knees. "Judy! Wonderful little Judy!"

she breathed. "Not wonderful at all, Chummy I thought I could," darling," said the gay, hoarse voice. "I was in a blue funk. I can tell

"Chummy, he was such an aw- you've taught me. stage but she saw an old man and they had trodden on him. He had thought of yourself." help him. She was caught in the muddled, as if he didn't know herself. The strain was becoming where he was. Oh, he was ever so too much.

> little old man had since died. She asked after everybody, and after Alan, too, in the most natural way. She was so glad that Chummy and Alan were going to be married. It was splendid, and they must really hurry up and waste no time. Of course, Chummy had

found out that her silly old work wasn't going to stand in her way. ing herself so that Alan should not know. She had seen that he still hardly let her speak. It was so red-gold hair made a violent spot Judy did most of the talking. loved Judy, and he must not know wonderful—that courage, that sim- of colour in the airy, white room. ple self-sacrifice, that gayety which "Goodbye, Alan!" she said. "I'm surmounted horror and fear and just a wee bit tired.". Chummy that Steyne should just expressed itself in the tremendous singleness of love-love for an and lay outside the quilt; but he old unknown man, trampled on and did not touch them. He fell on his

Chummy could not bring herself hair. "You know, Chummy, they say like an April day. I may never be able to dance "Alan, it's very hot in here. This again; but then, on the other hand, "I'm a silly woman. I'm so glad

> The nurse came in with some Steyne went out of the room as must go. She went out of the room having fallen in love with her pa-

"Chummy," Judy whispered, pathy. "you won't wait any longer, will

AMERICAN STOCKS.

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The following quotations have been received from their correspondents in New York by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, Sassoon House, Shanghai, (cable address: "Swanstock" Shanghai) who are not responsible for cable mutilations. New York, Aug. 28.

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CHINESE CUSTOMS VESSEL STRIKES A ROCK.

Whilst cruising in the east side of the Ninepins on Wednesday, the musical triumph. Chinese Maritime Customs launch In this amusir Cheung Keng struck a rock shortly after one o'clock in the afternoon. Capt. Collyer, who was in charge of the launch, is reported to and steamed as far as Fu Tau Chau.

to beach the launch. Police on Wednesday evening was to the effect that the Cheung Keng was in a sinking condition.

Chummy made her way through you, pet? You'll be married quite "Yes Judy, quite soon."

> Two days later, Steyne came to see Judy. She had asked for him

to come, too. She was as gay as could be, and there was a tinge of colour in her cheeks. She told him her had news

"They think I may never dance again. There are some little bones The one word came from Bas- "Chummy! Darling, darling in one foot that have got all mixed. up together. Isn't that funny? They X-rayed me this morning; but they aren't quite sure, you know. There's still a chance. I don't think I care much," she added. "I'd almost as soon be a model again."

Steyne, like Chummy, was affected with dumbness at first. He looked at her and looked at her. "What are you thinking about?" she asked him once, when the silence grew too long.

"You," he answered. She flushed, but looked at him with her straight, clear gaze. "You are going to marry Chummy, aren't you" she asked. "Yes," he said "if you still want

"Want you to? Of course you must! I heard it was all fixed."

"So it is. While you were away, "You could?" Her voice was full

of fear. "I still can, Judy, now I have "But you risked your life to save seen you," he said gravely. "I can't quite explain, but it's like this-You could risk

fully old man-a little old man, all your life for an old man you'd bent and quite helpless. I think never seen before. You never such blue eyes, and he looked so She laughed. She could not help

"I didn't think about anything . And Judy sighed, because the at all, silly!" she cried. "You don't -in a place like that!"

Steyne knew he must go. Judy's eyes were fever bright, and her face was scarlet-just as red as when her cheeks had been painted. Paint was not encouraged, probably not allowed, in the nursing home. He stood looking down at her. In

his blue eyes was the unspeakable, the eternal farewell.

Both her hands were bandaged

felt helpless in a panic at a theatre fire! knees, and for a moment he laid And the dancer might never dance his head in her lap. She bent over it, and her tears fell on his brown

He got up again, and she smiled "Don't mind me," she said gayly. "Oh Judy, Judy, that would be And so will you. Bless you forever

and ever-both of you!" "It is dreadful news, Chummy," while the friends said goodbye. tient, she smiled in kindly sym-

(To be Continued)

CINEMA NOTES.

NEW FOX MOVIETONE DRAMA.

The metamorphosis of Warner Baxter is so complete, so startling and so deceiving in "Such Men Are Dangerous," Fox Movietone talking pulsating drama, adapted from Elinor Glyn's widely magazine story, that this known screen star fears his friends will scarcely believe he portrayed the character of Ludwig Krang throughout the production.

Baxter bases his conclusion on the fact that his associates and friends of long standing failed to recognize him and refused to be- are: Shiuhing, 41 feet; Tsinglieve that the repugnant and ugly yuen, 29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.3 feet, man who appeared on the set when Sheklung 15.5 feet. production started was really hel Even after they were convinced The transformation was so pro- Sheklung minus 2.7 feet. nounced that Baxter still gave them the feeling that they didn't know

Baxter enacts the leading male Sunday.

to a youngster as poor as herself, fighters. "Coward" Which choice would any lovely lass they? He would show them. of spirit make?

You, of course, know which you. We had been promised the sight

entertaining.

the picture, and all three give ex- the horizon as other screen and stage celebrities goes the credit for an outstanding have characterizations that will achievement. further delight their followers.

"The Four Fenthers."

Action, action! The British the Central Theatre.

WATER LEVELS.

ON WEST, NORTH AND EAST" RIVERS.

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in English feet the water levels on the West River, North River and River, on the dates named:

Shiuhing'.... Tsingyuen Samshui Sheklung: The highest levels on

The lowest level on record at they treated him with indifference. Samshul is minus 5 feet and at

column formed into a "square." That doesn't mean much in the of the Branches of the Corporation. role in "Such Men hre Dangerous," telling, but to see that tightly" and Catherine Dale Owen, ac- packed mass of humanity, facing 35 claimed the most beautiful blonde oblivion, making a last stand, is to 41 of the screen portrays the leading surrender to a moment that one 25 due at the Queen's Theatre on of emotion had been reached. In an inspired fury, the "coward" or a life of ease as a millionaire's . They would give him white feafavourite, which should she choose? thers, the coward's badge, would

would take, but that isn't neces- of strange, unidentified animals in sarily the path selected by "Kitty" the long heralded "Four Feain "The Big Party," the Fox thers." They were there, true Movietone musical production which enough; neither monkeys, nor is at the Queen's Theatre, and held gorillas, but a combination of both our interest without a single let- with sharp-eyed dogs' or wolves up from start to finish in this heads. Giant hippos crashed their weight of countless tons against In this amusing and tuneful the sides of river banks and al story of a shop girl's romance, but swallowed up the dauntless Director John Blystone has clever- heroes, seemingly at their mercy ly woven his narrative threads in- in a frail canoe. A jungle fire stated that he continued on his way to a fast moving background of routed beasts whose designations cafes, shops, night clubs and apart- we can't tell you because we have near Junk Bay, where he was forced ments, representing every stratum never seen their life. Rather KUALA KANGSAR of New York life and has done it thrilling, but they fade into in-A report received by the Water in a manner that makes the film consequence beside the vivid frequently hilarious and always memory of that fight. Never were we so stirred. Frenzied warriors, Sue Carol, Dixie Lee and Walter on foot and later astride their Catlett enact the leading roles of swift-footed camels, blotting out cellent performances, while Charles | covering everything in sight. like Judels supplies a large share of ants filling their anti-world. To the comedy: "Whispering" Jack Richard Arlen, earnest and cap-Smith, Richard. Kenne, Frank able throughout but rising like an Albertson, Dorothy Brown. Ilka irresistible force that sweeps all Chase, Elizabeth Patterson and before it in the grand climax.

> The screen lives under the touch of Cooper and Schoedsack. They struck, too, a moment of real It was real, reali, "The Four horror in the picturization of Feathers" was real. It was flesh black bodies in the "Black Pit" | Calentia and blood, not flickering film. scene. This is a Paramount Changehun There was no time to reason now; picture, but with no talking the mind ceased to function. sequences and is now showing at

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NATIONAL LEADERS BOTH SUFFER DEFEAT.

New York, Aug. 27. Once again the leaders of the National League suffered defeat, but, although Chicago still retain a commanding advantage, New York have lost ground somewhat by going down to Brooklyn and they drop from the second position to fourth, their victors and St. Louis holding a slight lead.

Pittsburgh were in scoring mood when they visited the leaders and registered ten runs, Chicago replying with eight. Both Brooklyn and St. Louis were successful visitors and by their victories over Philadelphia and Cincinnati respectively they share the second position, with New York be- Homing (Salmon).

hind on the third decimal place. Little interest was attached to the matches played in the American League, none of the three leading teams being engaged. St. Louis had a win from Detroit while Cleveland played Chicago a double header and

The full results of the games played to-day are given below: ...

National League. 2 Brooklyn New York 9 Boston Philadelphia

1 St. Louis Cincinnati ! 8 Pittsburgh Chicago · American : League. 5 Detroit St. Louis

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LAWN BOWLS LEAGUE.

CRAIGENGOWER TEAM TO MEET CIVIL SERVICE.

The following will represent Craigengower C.C. in a first division league match on the Civil Service Club green on Saturday: F. J. Neves, M. O'Brien, D. Rumjahn, B. W. Bradbury Tues. 9th Sept at 3 p.m. (Skip); E. Tuck, A. E. Coates, E. Satur. 29th Sept at 3 p.m. el Arculli, U. M. Omar (Skip); W. T. Sun. 28th Sept at 3 p.m. Brightman, W. Collins, C. S. Rosselet, R. Basa (Skip).

Taikoo Second Team. The following team has been chosen Fri. 19th Sept at 7 am. to represent Taikoo in the second division against Kowloon C.C. at Kowloon on Saturday:

T. Stainton, W. Bell, D. Munro, Fri 19th Sept at noon. R. K. Duncan (Skip). K. McIntyre. W. Brown, G. H. Stewart, M. McKechnie (Skip). T. Swan, W. Choongshing Thurs. 18th Sept at 7 a.m. Cunningham, S. Amery, D. Walmsley

> The friendly lawn bowls match arranged between the Kowloon Bowling Green Club and the Kowloon C.C. för to-morrow has been cancelled. The Bowling Green are due to play the Recreio in a league

LOCAL RADIO.

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To-day's radio programme to be broadcast by Z. B. W. on a wavelength

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The Gateway of Dreams (English)...
John McCormack-Tenor. 1463. Souvenir (Drdla). Meditation from "Thais"

Song of the Night (Waldrop)

(Massenet). Jesse Crawford-Organ. 22155. Alcina Suite-Overture (Handel). Philharmonic Symphony Orch. 1435. Do not Go My Love (Hageman).

Marguerite D'Alvarez Contralto Fond Recollections (Popper)

Impromptu (Popper). Phyllis Kracuter-Violoncell Beautiful Night Waltz (Offenbach). Spring Song (Mendelssohn). " International Concert Orch. Nobody's Using It Now.

My Love Parade. Maurice Chevalier-Baritone. 22285 Poem (Kubelik). Sielanka (La Champetre). Ruth Posselt-Violin Solo. 4184

My Heaven Of Love. Del Staigers-Cornet Solo. Italian Airs. Victor Novelty Orchestra. 22429

Blue is the Night. Remember you From Somewhere. James Nelton-Tenor. 22439 Die Fledermaus-Paraphrase

Benno Moiseivitch-Pinno. The Skaters-Waltz (Waldteufel). Estudiantina-Waltz. International Concert Orch. 35798 Gypsy Love Song. Ah, Sweet Mystery Of Life. Jesse Crawford-Organ. 22333.

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Pasteral Dance No. 2 (Edwin German). St. Louis Symphony Orch. 9009. 9.00 p.m. Weather report, Local Time and Press News. Concert from the Studio.

1. The Lyric Dance Orchestra. "Mona" Foxtrot. 2. Mr. W. Balley-Baritone. "Lighterman Tom" Squire. "Time to go" Sanderson. 3. Mrs. Arnold 'Cello Soloist. a. "La Romanesca" Old XVI

- Century Dance. b. "La Plainte de la Jeune Fille"

THE AMERICA'S CUP DEFENDER.

SELECTION OF THE YACHT ENTERPRISE.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 28. The yacht Enterprise, skippered by Mr. Harold Vanderbilt, has been selected to defend the America's Cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger, the Shamrock V.

The Enterprise is the smallest of the four prospective defenders, but has the greatest sail area, namely London Symphony Orch. 9696. 7,585 square feet. She was designed by Mr. Starling Burgess, and built at Bristol, Rhode Island, by the Herreschoff Company. She is named after the navy schooner affectionately known as the "plucky little Enterprise," which fought the Barbary

It was expected that the Yankee, which broke all records over the thirty mile triangular course last week, would be matched with the Enterprise in a real race before the final decision was reached. The lack of sufficient breeze during the past two days, however, made it impossible to carry out trials to select the defender on the lines planned by the selection committee of the New York Yacht Club. The committee therefore decided last night that the Enterprise should defend the cup, without further trials.

An attempt yesterday to hold a third trial race of the four specially huilt yachts was abandoned when it become evident that none could finish in the specified time. The Whirlwind and Weetamoe were paired for this trial against the Enterprise and Yankee. Both the latter passed their competi-tors despite the latter's fifteen minutes start, and when the race was called off the Enterprise was leading a mile on the Yankee. The latter, designed by Mr. Frank Paine, is owned by a syndicate headed by Mr. John S. Laurence.—Reuter's American Ser-

Schubert 4. Mrs. Brearley Mezzo-Soprano. a. "Gretna Green" Oliver.

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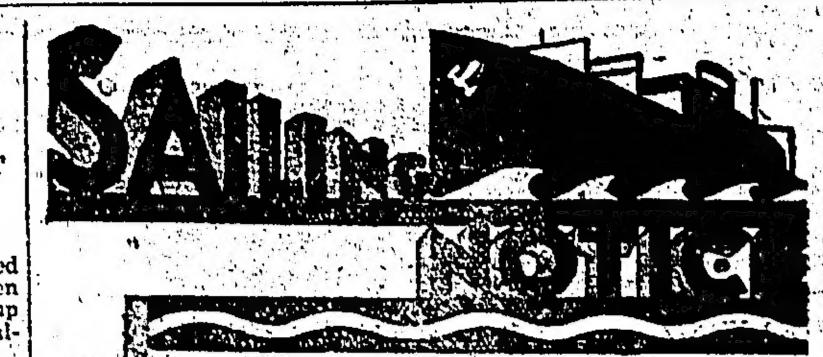
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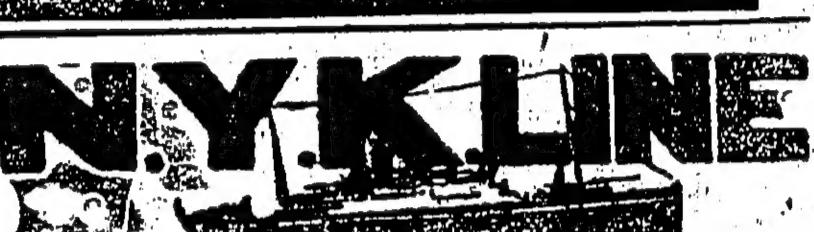
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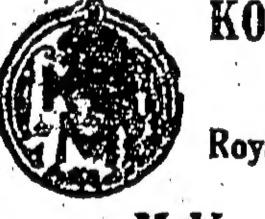
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BOATS AND WHARVES UNDER HAMMER.

GOOD FIGURES OBTAINED IN YESTERDAY'S AUCTION.

At Messrs. Lammert's auction rooms yesterday, Mr. L.E. Lammert disposed of three Canton wharves and two steamships. though bidding in neither "sale was very brisk.

Starting at \$50,000 for the Sam King, Chung Sun and Hop Tak wharves, the bidding for this valuable property made easy advances of \$500, to \$58,500, after which Mr. Ko Ho-wing, one of the first Police-have been recovered intact, competitors, sent the price soaring by a bid of \$1,500, and placing the price at \$60,000.

There was no response to exceed this figure, the property being knocked down to Mr. Ko for this

The same gentleman also purchased the "Charles Hardouin" and "Paul Beau" steamships. Mr. Lammert announced that the lowest Humphreys Buildings. advance bid was \$5,000, but after the initial price of \$200,000 had by Lieut: A. H. Musson, of the R. Leguia, has resigned in face of an been opened, only one advance, that of \$5,000 was made, the boats being knocked down at \$205,000.

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probate of the will has been gran- prior to steamer's arrival but carried ted to Mr. D. J. Lewis, of Messrs. on from port to port to the final pert Johnson, Stokes and Master, who of call to which the option extends. is attorney for testator's cousin, Mr. Allan S. Young, of Little goods are to be left in the Godowns, Court, Court Road, Banstead.

Wallace. She directs that the re- ject to rent. sidue of the estate be given to the Christian Social Union to establish, if possible, a rest room in the country for women and girls.

Murder Recalled.

.A charge of murder, when three accused men were acquitted at the Criminal Sessions, is recalled by an application for letters of administration to the estate of Cheung Hung-chun, alias. Cheung Hon-ching, a buddhist priest, whose dead body was found at his house. No. 3, Sha Po Road, Kowloon City, on February 15, this year.

Three men, Tse Ping clies Tse having arrived, consignees of cargo Ki-chau, Cheng Luk and Sun Tam are hereby informed that all goods were charged with the murder at are landed and placed at their risk the March Sessions before the into the hazardous and/or extra Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong but unanimous verdicts of "not and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. guilty" were returned and the men were discharged.

has been valued at \$1,000 and let- all goods remaining undelivered after ters of administration have been the 3rd. September, 1930, at 4 p.m. granted to his brother, Cheung be subject to rent. Yum alias Cheung Ho, market gardener, living at Nga Iu Tau, Kowloon City. Deceased was not married and had no concubine.

MOTOR-CYCLES FOUND.

TWO MISSING MACHINES DISCOVERED INTACT.

Two motor-cycles which were reported as missing to the Water and with no damage done to them. The history of their disappearance and what happened to them in the meantime is shrouded in mystery.

The first loss to be reported was by Mr. A. Gill, of No. 11, Hum-phreys Buildings. On Tuesday he left his cycle outside the entrance to his house, from which place it vanished. It was later found undamaged on the other side of

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23/4 H.P. A.J.S., at the ferry wharf, | Cerro, who bears the wounds of It is understood that nothing and on returning a few minutes two previous revolutions, flew to definite has been arranged for the before midnight he was unable to Lima, where he was given a frenfuture use of the boats, and they find it. The machine was found zied ovation and hailed as the will not be put into service for yesterday evening in Austin Road "saviour of Peru."-Reuter's American Service.

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Williamstown, Mass., Aug. 23. Sparks flew at the Institute of Politics to-day on the question of intervention in China.

Mr. Charles Bachelder, former Chief of the Far Eastern Division of the U.S. Department of Commerce and also once U.S. Commercome necessary in China.

tarian reasons.

Mr. Bachelder suggested that 200,000 foreign troops, assisted by

G\$500,000,000, which might, in own grounds. his opinion, be secured as a loan revenues of China. Most of the money could be spent

in disbanding the various Chinese armies and putting in needed work on highways and railways, according to the speaker. He admitted, however, that the United States is traditionally opposed to interven-

Mr. Stephen Duggan said that much of the China trouble is to be attributed to the influence of American schools in China, and also to the fact that students are impregnated with the principles of demoeracy and nationalism.

Replying to Mr. Bachelder, Mr. P. C. Chang, of Nankai University, told the Institute that foreign intervention must necessarily unite China because the war-lords would unite against the foreigners. Then, he said, "something would certainly . hancen."

Mr. Chang said that the method of modernizing China is the principal problem confronting the leaders in the country to-day:

EMPRESS OF CANADA.

SUSPECT MAKES ESCAPE AT SHANGHAL

The loss of a huge sum of money belonging to a member of the crew of the Empress of Canada which arrived in port yesterday, and the escape of the thief, who had been taken into custody, West Ham were mentioned to the local authorities when the ship berthed at the Kowloon Godowns.

In his report to the police Chan Burnley So, the No. 1 saloon "boy" of the Canada, who lives at 22, Jordan Road, stated that whilst the vessel was on the voyage from Vancouver to Sandwich Island he Preston N.E. found the key of his safe missing. Swansea On August 12 he had the safe Tottenham broken open and he then discover- West Brom. ed that \$1,820 in Hongkong currency and \$450 gold had been ex-.

His suspicions fell on a foki Chan Kun, who, when questioned, Fulham admitted the theft and returned Gillingham \$1,500 in Hongkong money. The Luton man was accordingly taken into Newport custody on August 19 but when the ship arrived at Shanghai he escaped.

CASES OF MEDICINE STOLEN.

HOW A LOCAL FIRM WAS SWINDLED.

Representing himself as a foki of an imports and exports firm with | Stockport authority to order goods, a Chinese went to the Lung Tal Hong, of 182, Wing Lok Street and ordered on the strength of a document bearing the name of the King Yuen Hong, two cases of medicine to the value of \$330. It was not untilater that the deceit was discover- Kilmarnock

The facts came to the notice of Queen's Park the police through a report which | Rangers was made by Chang Si-tong, manager of the Lung Tai Hong. He stated that the order was received at 10 a.m. on Tuesday last, the man representing himself as a salesman of the King Yuen Hong of Des Voeux Road, Central: The cases of medicine were taken away by four coolies who called on Wednes-

day morning. Subsequently the delivery order was taken to the King Yuen Hong for payment and it was then discovered that both the chop, which had been stamped on the order, and the order itself, were false.

The Netherland Consul General advertises that in commemoration of Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands on Sunday, August licence. 31st, he will be "At Home" at the Chancery, Asiatic Building; on Saturday, August 30th, between 11 too young to get a licence.

FOOTBALL STARTS BAN TO-MORROW:

OPENING MATCHES IN THE LEAGUES.

NEWCOMERS BEGIN SEASON AT HOME.

FULL FIXTURE LIST.

Second Division. Plymouth and Indians.

their name to Gateshead. In the ment has ended .- Reuter. Southern Section, the Thames Football' Club are newcomers. London an east Club and was voted into the League at the expense of Merthyr

Popularity Grows.

The season extends from tomorrow until the first Saturday in May next year. There will be no gramme until November 29, the been sentenced to six months' simdate of the first round of the competition proper for the English

Every year Association football gress advances in popularity and last season was no exception, for, in spite of trade depression at Home and a period of adverse weather conditions, many records were created, both in regard to attendances and on the playing field itself. Playing records that had stood for many years were broken, a sure sign that the standard o play continues to improve. The full fixture list for to morrow is given below:

First Divsion. Sheffield, U. Birmingham v. Arsenal. Blackpool

w. Middlesbro'. Chelses. Grimsby Portsmoutly, Derby. Leicester Blackburn. Aston Villa. Manchester U. Newcastle. Manchester C.

Charlton.

Bradford. Everton. Barnsley. Southampton. Cardiff. v. Reading.

Division (South). Northants. Bristol R. Notts. Cnty. Norwich. Watford. Brentford. Torquay.

Thames. Crystal Pal. Boscombe. Clapton O. Division (North).

Tranmere. Barrow Chesterfield Carlisle. Wigan. Darlington Doncaster. Gateshead Hartlepools. New Brighton Nelson. Rochdale Rotherham Wrexham. Southport

Cowdenbeath. Partick. Hamilton v. Ayr. Hibernians Leith. v. Hearts. St. Mirren. v. Motherwell,

HAWKING OF TOY GRASSHOPPERS.

LAD TOLD MUST HAVE A LICENCE.

"There are only two people, one in Hongkong and one in Kowloon, myself, who can make these grasshoppers," said a Chinese boy charged before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with having hawked toy grasshoppers made by himself.

Mr. Whyte Smith:-Yes, they are quite nice things to make, but you will have to get a licence to of the anniversary of the Birthday sell them or you will have to get them sold by someone who has a

Sergeant Barnicle informed his Worship that the defendant was The defendant was cautioned.

ON CONGRESS URGED.

EUROPEANS IN INDIA PASS RESOLUTIONS.

SUPPORT FOR REPORT.

Calcutta, Aug. 28. The Conference of delegates of all branches of the European Association, whose main purpose is the organisation of European influence in the political life of The English League football resolution in favour of the general season opens to-morrow when principles of the Simon Commisforeign intervention may soon be- there is a full programme of sion's recommendations, subject to matches. Newcomers to : the such reservations as are necessary There is a growing feeling, he First Division are Blackpool and to ensure better a strong Governasserted, that something of this Chelsea, Burnley and Everton munity and equality in the trading sort must be done for humani- this season playing in the status between British and

Port Vale have been promoted The Conference urged the supfrom the Southern and Northern pression of the Indian Congress be able to restore order through- Sections respectively to the and the esquestration of its funds ut the country.

He estimated the cost of this at opening engagements on their opinion that whatever the outence no change shall be made in South Shields, who play in the the present system of Government based on the customs and the salt Northern Section, have changed till the civil disobedience move-

London, Aug. 28. Official quarters in London entirely discredit the report that the Round Table Conference will be postponed.

Preparations for the Conference to meet about the beginning of November are proceeding according to programme.—Reuter.

. Delhi, Aug. 28. All the arrested members of the interference with the League pro- Congress Working Committee have ple imprisonment. - Reuter.

It was reported on August 27 that practically the whole Con-Working Committee had arrested, including V. J. Patel, ex-President of the Legislative Assembly, who arrived with others at Delhi to hold a meeting of the Committee although it had been proclaimed an unlawful as-

Delhi, later. A new Congress Working Committee has been formed, consisting of six Moslems and six Hindus, and three members of the old committee who were not arrested.

The city has been observing a hartal since yesterday evening .-Reuter.

Simia, Aug. 28. Numerous tribal discussions which are being carried on at the frontier have caused a slackening of actual hostilities.

An interesting development has occurred in the Peshawar district, where friendly sections of the Mohmands are participating in a jirga with the Haji of Turangzai and hostile elements of the upper Mohmand country. Several other jirgas are also being held .-Reuter.

SEQUEL TO AFFRAY IN KOWLOON.

CHARGES OF DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

The case in which six Chinese are charged with disorderly conduct in Pilkin Street on August 6 came up before Mr. Whyte Smith at Kowloon this morning.

Sergeant Fitches said that he was withdrawing the charge against the first three defendants and using them as witnesses in the case. The third defendant was still in hospital and would be able to attend Court next week.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo appearing for the last three defendants, applied for bail on the ground that since the beginning of the case the de-fendants had been in police cus-

Sergeant Fitches said that the wounded man had been struck on the head with an armature and was in a serious condition for a

long time. Mr. Whyte Smith refused bail and fixed the case for September

PORTUGUESE OFFICER FINED.

SPEEDING ON THE CASTLE PEAK ROAD.

Appearing at Kowloon Court on behalf of Mr. N. C. Sanches, an officer, on the Portuguese warship, Adamastor, Mr. J. M. Remedios tendered a plea of guilty to the charge of dangerous driving preferred against him.

Mr. Remedios "informed Mr Whyte Smith that the officer tendered his apologies for not attending Court the last time the case ! was mentioned, as he was on duty on that day.

Sergeant Clark said that the offence was committed on July 25 about 7.15, p.m. The defendant drove his car along Castle Peak Road at a speed of between 26 and 42 miles an hour.

A fine of \$15 was imposed.

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